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LOEB TELLS OF HARRIMAN'S TALK

Roosevelt's Former Secretary Comes Out in Defense of Ex-President.

HEARD ENTIRE INTERVIEW

Great Financier Sought Colonel's Aid to Finance New York State Campaign, Says Former Private Secretary.

New York, Aug. 27.—William Loeb, Jr., collector of the port of New York by appointment of President Taft, came out boldly here in a vigorous defense of Col. Roosevelt against the attacks being made upon the ex-president in the double barreled controversy raging over the contributions to the Roosevelt campaign fund of 1904 by the Standard Oil company and by E. H. Harriman.

Harriman Sought Roosevelt's Aid. He says it was he, and not President Roosevelt, whose secretary he then was, to whom George B. Cortelyou as chairman of the Republican national committee, gave positive assurance that the Standard Oil company had made no contribution to the campaign. Mr. Loeb also makes the further statement that instead of Roosevelt asking Harriman for assistance, the latter at the famous White House interview had urged the president to cause National Chairman Cortelyou forthwith to give financial help to the New York state committee in order to save the state ticket.

"I was present through the entire interview E. H. Harriman had in the White House with President Roosevelt on the eve of the election in 1904. I was his private secretary, and the president made it a practice to have me present at every important political interview he had with visitors. I remember clearly the spirit and result of the Harriman interview on that occasion. Mr. Harriman assured the president that he (Mr. Roosevelt) was certain to be elected, but that the state ticket in New York headed by Higgins was in grave danger and that it was in the power of President Roosevelt alone to save it.

Complies With Harriman Request. "Mr. Harriman complained that although he had more than once asked National Chairman Cortelyou to transfer to the New York state committee a sum of money from his treasury to meet the exigency of the state situation, Mr. Cortelyou had declined to do so and insisted that the president should direct Mr. Cortelyou immediately to hand over the money where it was imperatively needed. The president told Mr. Harriman he would comply with his request. Before Mr. Harriman arose to go the president turned to me and told me to call up Chairman Cortelyou on the long distance telephone and instruct him to help the state committee out. This I did and received the promise from Mr. Cortelyou that he would do at once as President Roosevelt wanted him to do."

No Standard Oil Contribution. Collector Loeb then took up the Standard Oil contribution.

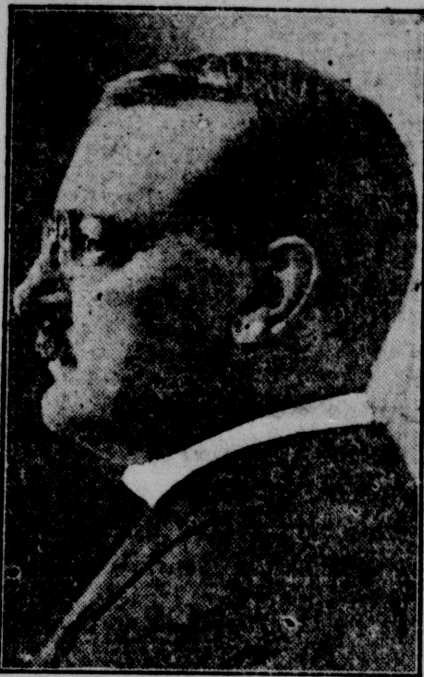
"Of this matter," he said, "my memory is quite as clear and distinct as to the other I have just discussed. I remember the two letters and a telegram President Roosevelt had sent to Chairman Cortelyou instructing him to return forthwith to the Standard Oil company any contribution that concern may have made to his campaign. The first letter recited a report then widely published by the newspapers that the Standard Oil company had made a big contribution. It was dated October 26, 1904. In this letter President Roosevelt told Mr. Cortelyou that if the report were true he must see to it at once that the money was sent back. The other letter and the telegram were to the same effect. Two or three days passed and no word on the subject had come to the White House from Chairman Cortelyou. The president was growing more restive hourly. He told me to call up Chairman Cortelyou on the long distance telephone and ask him if he had received the letters and the telegram, and if so what he had done about it. This I did. Mr. Cortelyou told me over the telephone that he had just conferred with Treasurer Bliss about the matter and had received positive assurances from Mr. Bliss that the Standard Oil company had not contributed a dollar to the campaign fund.

Cortelyou Will not Talk. Collector Loeb's statements on both subjects were repeated to former Republican National Chairman Cortelyou in his office in the building of the Consolidated Gas company, of which he is now president. While listening to them with obvious interest, Mr. Cortelyou firmly declined to comment upon them, saying in reply to every question:

"I have nothing to say at this time." Roosevelt Replies to Hearst.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Aug. 27.—"I

WILLIAM LOEB, JR.



Mr. Loeb, formerly private secretary to Colonel Roosevelt and now collector of the port of New York, comes out in strong defense of his former chief in connection with the Standard Oil and Harriman contribution stories.

MANY K. C. WILL TAKE THE THIRD DEGREE

PREPARATIONS BEING MADE FOR BIG DAY—BANQUET IN EVENING.

Dixon council, Knights of Columbus, are making arrangements for the conferring of a third degree on a large class of candidates Sunday, Oct. 6. The degree will be conferred by State Deputy LeRoy Hackett and degree team of Chicago. Over 50 candidates will be given the work, all of whom are members of the Dixon council, and it is expected that many more will come from surrounding councils. Invitations to the big event will be sent to all the neighboring councils, and arrangements are being made to make this the most successful event in the history of the Dixon lodge. A feature of the day will be the banquet, to be held in the evening, for which 600 plates will be laid, and at which time some of the most prominent speakers in the state will respond to toasts.

SUES FOR DIVORCE ON DESERTION CHARGE

MRS. DAISY ARNDT OF AMBOY ASKS CUSTODY OF THEIR ONE CHILD.

Mrs. Daisy Arndt of Amboy has filed suit for divorce in the Lee county circuit court, charging her husband, Frank A. Arndt, who now resides in Stephenson county, with desertion. In her bill Mrs. Arndt states that they were married at Clinton, Iowa, Aug. 29, 1906, and that they reside together until Oct. 1, of the same year when, without any provocation, he deserted her. She asks the custody of their only child, Harry, aged 5 years.

LICENSED TO WED

A marriage license was issued this morning to Arthur W. Gay of Blooming Grove, Wis., and Miss Martha M. Huston of Cottage Grove, Wis.

FUNK SPEAKS TOMORROW.

A large number of Dixon progressives are planning to go to Sterling tomorrow afternoon to hear Senator Funk, who is a candidate for governor on the progressive ticket.

Mrs. Sam Rhodes and three children, Mrs. Fred Graff and three children left today for Cedar Rapids, Ia., for a visit.

Fred Grant Jr. has returned from Murphysboro.

Herman Schaeffer and John Salzman have returned from a visit in Ottawa.

MONSTER CROWD TO ATTEND BARBECUE

LARGE REPRESENTATION FROM ALL OVER THIS SECTION OF STATE.

TO HAVE BIG WRESTLING MATCH

Vaudeville and Music Will Help to Amuse the Crowd—Eats Will Be One of the Main Features.

The committee in charge of the big barbecue and chicken fry to be given at Watson's island next Monday by the Dixon lodge of Elks, has secured an exceptionally strong card in the wrestling match, which will bring the welterweight champions of two states together in a finish match, best two in three falls.

The contracts with the wrestlers were signed yesterday and they insure the meeting of Ted Tonnerman of Chicago, who is well known to the Dixon fans, and Young Beall of Omaha. Tonnerman holds the championship of his class for the state of Illinois, and Beall possesses the same honor in Nebraska. The boys will meet at 148 pounds and doubtless this match will be the big feature of the day.

Monster Crowd Certain.

A monster crowd, much larger than that which attended the clam bake last year, is certain, for the sale of tickets is now ahead of last year's total, and good weather will bring about a gathering of "good fellows" such as never seen in this section of the state. Reports from all of the surrounding towns are to the effect that large representations will be here, and accordingly the committee is making arrangements for "some" time.

There will be vaudeville performances during the day, a preliminary wrestling match to the Tonnerman-Beall go, and music will help while away the minutes between the "eats."

OFFICERS INSPECT LOCAL BARBER SHOPS

MEMBER OF STATE BOARD DISCOVERS SEVERAL VIOLATORS HERE.

C. C. Russell of Edwardsville, a member of the barbers' state board, was here today and states that he found several of the leading tonsororial artists violating the laws regulating the trade and articles used. He says that all of the barbers agree to comply with the changes that he suggested.

Mr. Russell warned all boss barbers that if he ever again finds one of them employing a barber who has not been registered with the state board that prosecutions will follow. He also warns them not to forget to keep and use such antiseptics as lysol or alcohol.

BABY TO BE BURIED WEDNESDAY

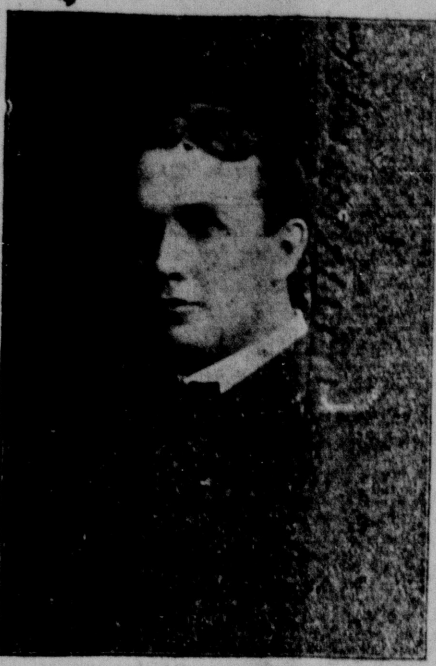
OBITUARY OF LITTLE RUSSEL AMOS HEINMILLER—AGE TEN MONTHS.

Russel Amos Heinmiller, the ten months' old son of Mr. and Mrs. Amos T. Heinmiller, died Monday at 6:30 a. m., after an illness of a few days, the cause of death being gastritis. The baby died at the home of its grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brown, 414 Monroe avenue. Beside the parents he leaves to mourn his early demise one brother and four sisters, Garland, Harriet, Dorothy and little Ruth, his twin.

Services will be held Wednesday at 2 p. m. at the Brethren church, Rev. Shaw officiating. Interment will be in Oakwood cemetery.

Frank Gorham has accepted a position to play at Self's confectionery. Fred Hessling of Sterling was here today.

William L. Leach of Amboy transacted professional business here today.



ATTORNEY JOHN E. ERWIN Who Has Been Proposed as a Candidate for Congressman at Large on Progressive Ticket.

CIRCUS MUST SHOW ON WEST 6TH ST.

NO OTHER GROUNDS COULD BE SECURED BY THE COMMITTEE.

BILLBOARDS CONTRACTED FOR

Advance Man to Be Here Soon to Investigate Grounds and There is Little Doubt That Circus Will Be Here.

The Wallace-Haggenback circus, which it is expected will appear in Dixon Friday, Sept. 20, will have to show on the grounds on West Sixth street, the committee of local business men who have been looking after a site having failed to locate any other piece of ground for the big show.

Accordingly this information has been communicated to the advance man who, it is anticipated, will come to Dixon within a few days to look over the grounds and make such arrangements for the appearance of the circus here as are necessary.

George Olmstead of Sterling, who has charge of the billboards in the city and surrounding territory, was in Dixon today and he was asked by a Telegraph reporter if there was anything certain that the big show would come to Dixon. He replied that he believed the circus would appear here on the date named and that the billboards under his control had been contracted for. He expects further information from the advance man before the middle of the week.

ERWIN MAY BE ON PROGRESSIVE TICKET

LOCAL ATTORNEY IS MENTIONED FOR CONGRESSMAN AT LARGE.

Attorney John E. Edwin of Dixon may be a candidate for Congressman at Large, his name having been presented to the state committee by H. L. Fordham, state committeeman from this district.

Mr. Fordham announced this afternoon that when candidates for the various offices were being discussed he promptly submitted a resolution naming Mr. Erwin as one of the candidates and the resolution was seconded by a Cook county committeeman, thus indicating that Cook county will support the Dixon man for the place.

It is expected that Prof. Charles Merriam, of the University of Chicago, will be the other progressive candidate for Congressman at Large.

Ex-Mayor John R. Johnson of Sterling was in town today transacting business.

Police Magistrate W. G. Kent and family arrived home last evening from a vacation in Michigan. Deputy County Recorder Miss Maud Gitt left this morning for Beloit, Wis., at which and surrounding points she will spend her vacation.

Misses Grace Blackburn and Ethel Eberheart of Sterling were here last evening.

Harry Stephan was in Chicago yesterday.

C. H. Wooster of Amboy was here today.

PROGRESSIVES NAME THIRD COUNTY TICKET

JUDGE JAMES W. WATTS IS CANDIDATE FOR STATES ATTORNEY.

SELF AND STEPHAN ON TICKET

Young Dixon Supervisor Will Run for Circuit Clerk and Ashton Man Is Named for County Central Committee as Candidate for Coroner.

States Attorney, JAMES W. WATTS, Dixon.

Circuit Clerk, CHARLES SELF, Dixon.

Coroner, GEO. B. STEPHAN, Ashton.

The above is the Progressive ticket for Lee county, as it was named at the meeting of the Progressive County Central Committee this afternoon. Out of the fifteen committeemen present at the time the vote was taken, twelve voted for the men and three against.

The progressive county central committee, which had adjourned until 1:30 o'clock this afternoon, did not convene until 2:05, 35 minutes later than the time set, when the members of the committee and the delegates to the state convention were to meet to name a county ticket.

The roll call showed 12 committeemen out of 29 present from the following townships: Amboy, Ashton, Bradford, China, Dixon, Palmyra, Reynolds, Willow Creek and Wyoming.

After the reading of the minutes Chairman Winn announced the selection of George Schnucke as committeeman for West Brooklyn and asked that someone help him find a committeeman from Sublette; but his request was in vain, for none of the delegates could come to his aid.

Poll books for the different precincts, as prepared by the committeemen, were given to the various committeemen, after which there was considerable talk concerning campaign literature. Mr. Fordham explained to the committeemen that nominations for state and legislative offices will be made by petition and must be signed by people who did not vote at the primaries. The state legal committee states that the petitions must be signed by 2 percent of the total vote, but that it is imperative that signers did not vote at the primary election. The petitions will be furnished by the state committee.

Self for Circuit Clerk.

Clyde Smith presented application of Chas. T. Self for circuit clerk, who asked endorsement of the progressive party. Mr. Smith eulogized the candidate, calling attention to his election as supervisor and characterized him as being above reproach.

Mr. Smith also presented the application of Attorney Jas. W. Watts for states attorney. He outlined Mr. Watts' record as city attorney, teacher and president of the board of education of North Dixon.

Mr. Smith then moved that Self, Watts and Stephan be accepted and be endorsed. A. G. Harris seconded the motion.

Before the vote was taken H. L. Fordham read a letter from Chauncey Dewey, new chairman of the state committee, and also letters from various chairmen in the district.

"In Whiteside county," said Mr. Fordham, "they want to protect some favored men, I know how they feel. For instance, I supported John McKenzie, but I am now in favor of putting a man against him, as he will not run on the progressive ticket."

J. T. Williams of Whiteside county, says his county is opposed to county and legislative tickets and will oppose such in congressional and senatorial conventions here next week.

Col. Dewey's letter brought forth some applause when it was read that "the progressives will put the republican party into the insignificant 3rd place, and that Roosevelt and Johnson will plead for a progressive ticket from top to bottom."

Clyde Smith followed Mr. Fordham



Schepps, a gambler, was taken from Hot Springs, Ark., to New York to testify in the Rosenthal murder case, and his confession is relied on by the prosecution to do much in the way of securing the conviction of those indicted for the crime.

and pleaded for a county ticket. He said the progressive party was a "new party and not a Roosevelt side-show. Conditions have made this party necessary," continued Mr. Smith, "and it is our duty to support it from top to bottom. There should be no question about endorsing these men who have applied for our favor, for we have invited them to do so. It is not an open question."

Mr. Guffin of Brooklyn also spoke in favor of the ticket. After a number of short talks the question to endorse the candidates was put to a vote, the result being: Yes, 12; No, 3; Bradford, China and Dixon first precinct voting "No."

A love feast followed in which the various committeemen reported that "nearly everybody" was signing the pledges which were being circulated.

TO REMODEL CITY STREET CARS

CHANGES WILL HAVE TO BE MADE IN NEW OPERATING PLAN.

The new plan of stopping all street cars on the "near" side of the street will go into effect about Oct. 1, Supt. Dean Treat making that announcement today. Now that the council has followed the action of the Sterling city fathers in passing the ordinance, the company will at once begin remodeling the cars which is necessary for the new plan. Different fenders, which will prevent anyone standing on the rear of the cars, will be purchased, and the rearrangement of the front platforms, by which all passengers will board and leave the cars in future, will be commenced as soon as possible. After the cars are equipped as desired a public demonstration of the scheme will be made.

SAMUEL GANTZ IS IMPROVING

WORD HAS BEEN RECEIVED FROM PHYSICIAN ATTENDING DIXON MAN.

Word was received this morning from the bedside of S. M. Gantz, who is in Colorado Springs, Colorado, stating that his physician who is attending him at the hotel there, thinks he has passed the crisis and is now on the road to health. This will be good news to the many friends of Mr. Gantz in this city.

FIRE TRUCK WRECK KILLS ONE

AUTO TRUCK WRECKED WHILE PREPARING FOR SUPPER GET PARADE.

Columbus, O., Aug. 27.—Special to Telegraph—Charles Palmer was instantly killed and Robert Harrington was very seriously injured here today when an auto fire truck, owned by the city, dashed into a street car.

In a reckless effort to pass the car the truck skidded and swerved, throwing its occupants onto the pavement. Palmer's brains were dashed out. Several women were in the truck preparing for the suffragette parade, but they all escaped serious injury.

Clyde Smith followed Mr. Fordham

IMPROVEMENTS ARE ASSURED BY COUNCIL

ORDINANCES FOR BRICK PAVING WERE PASSED LAST EVENING.

CARS TO STOP AT NEAR CORNER

Commissioners Passed Ordinance Providing for Stopping of Street Cars at the "Near" Corner Instead of Far One.

WHAT THE COUNCIL DID. Passed ordinance providing for stopping of all street cars on "near" crossing.

Accepted report of C. H. Lapham and G. A. Ward, committee appointed to place cable across river, and tendered the gentlemen a vote of thanks.

Granted petition of Federal Sign System that they be allowed to hang electric signs in the city under blanket bond of \$5,000.

Passed local improvement ordinances 134, 135 and 136, which provide for tile sewers on Dement avenue and East Morgan street, and brick pavement around the court house.

Approved report of auditing committee which examined the annual reports of City Clerk Grover and City Treasurer Drew.

Last night's meeting of the city council was a quiet affair, nothing being brought up to arouse the antagonism of any of the commissioners; therefore there were no arguments and every motion was carried unanimously.

The petition of the Sterling, Dixon and Eastern Electric Railway company for an ordinance providing for the stopping of all street cars at the "near" crossings of the street, except on curves where this would be impossible, was passed and approved. The company will inaugurate the plan as soon as possible.

Thank Cable Committee.

Messrs. G. A. Ward and C. H. Lapham, the committee appointed by Mayor Brinton to superintend the installation of the cable across the river, reported that the work had been done and described the system, recommending that the city obtain permission from the United States department of war giving the municipality complete control of the cable. The members of the committee donated their services, and the council passed a resolution extending the thanks of the city and complimenting them on their work.

Pass Improvement Ordinances.

Local improvement ordinances 134, 135 and 136, which provide for tile sewers on Dement avenue and East Morgan street, and brick pavement on three sides of the court house, were passed without comment the board having held public hearings on each of the projects, when there were no objections.

The Federal Sign System of Chicago, which has contracted with a number of local merchants for the leasing of electric signs, presented a communication to the city asking that, inasmuch as they anticipated placing many signs in the city, they be allowed to deposit a blanket bond of \$5,000 to cover the city requirements. The permission was granted, after which the council adjourned.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

705 Feet above sea level. Above data furnished by H. R. Spafford, assistant chief engineer of the Illinois Central Railroad Company.

The following report of high and low temperatures and precipitation are taken at 7 o'clock each morning and are for the preceding 24 hours:

Sunday, 18th	92	67	.18
Monday	92	64	.19
Tuesday	81	65	.20
Wednesday	84	65	.21
Thursday	82	69	.22
Friday	75	54	.23
Saturday	77	59	.24
Sunday	90	67	.25
Monday	91	70	.26

Illinois: Fair Tuesday; cooler in south and central portions; Wednesday probably fair; warmer in the extreme northern portion; moderate north-east and east winds.

Sunrise, 5:09; sunset, 6:34.

Social Happenings

AUGUST 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25

May have a fiery temper, but it is soon over. Can be led, but not driven. Strong psychic power; energetic, aspiring, have no use for mediocrity demonstrative in affection, home loving, social, devoted to family, some times pessimistic. Very popular, particularly with those near you socially. Faithful to those you love; you are fond of travel and moving about.

August 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31

Are impulsive, brilliant, intuitive, authoritative; have much natural intelligence. Generally fiery, impatient of control or dictation; are sympathetic, loving, true. Much of reverse and disappointment lies along your path. You love or hate with all your might, and if you are a housewife, you push your physical strength to the limit of endurance, and sometimes beyond.

Makes Dixon Her Home.

Miss Edna Henry of West Brooklyn has come to Dixon to reside with her parents.

Dixon Guest.

Miss Janette Fry of Minneapolis is the guest of Miss Dorothy North, in North Dixon.

Entertained.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Miller, Harry and Leon Miller and Marie Miller motored to Dixon yesterday morning and were entertained at dinner at the Henry Hasselberg home. Gus Hasselberg of Amboy was also a guest at the Hasselberg home. In the afternoon all went out to the Miller home and enjoyed supper there.

Dined at Sheffield.

Misses Catherine Doyle, Olive Bender and Messrs. Joe Graft and Paul Crabtree were guests at the Sheffield hotel in Grand Detour for supper on Monday evening.

Guests in Maytown.

Mr. and Mrs. John Doyle, Mrs. Mary Clark and Miss Loretta Doyle were guests at the Duffy home in Maytown Sunday.

In Amboy Home.

Miss Mame Edwards, John Bradley and Fred Thoman were guests Sunday in Amboy at the T. V. McMahon home.

Guest at Fisher Home.

Hank Fisher is a guest at the Eldena Fisher home in South Dixon for a few days.

Camping in Houseboat.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Schuler and children are camping in the Espy houseboat, which is anchored along the shoreline at Lowell park.

Picnic Supper.

Dr. and Mrs. Z. W. Moss entertained with a picnic supper at Lowell park last evening. Mrs. Fred North, Miss North and Miss Janette Fry of Minneapolis.

Guests at Reynolds Home.

Prof. and Mrs. Charles Gerstenburg of New York, cousins of Mrs. H. G. Reynolds and Mrs. Herbert Martin, are guests at the Reynolds home.

Visited at King Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Lewis have returned to their home in this city after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. King in Lee Center.



SLEEP

soundly and your chances to think soundly are decidedly improved after Regular repose

THAT RESTS

your tired body and weary brain is a necessity for health. In fact sleepless nights sap your strength while

YOU SHOULD

be enjoying life and your work. Others know the truth of that statement. Their testimony and experience may

BE YOURS

if you care for them. If you want to rest as others do, see me while some thing can be done.

DR. W. F. AYDELOTTE,

Neurologist and Health Instructor,
223 Crawford Ave., Dixon, Ill.
Only appointments secure prompt attention. Home phone 160

S. F. O. Club.

The S. F. O. club was entertained last Thursday by Miss Ruth Chiverton at the Russell Leak cottage at the Assembly park. The young ladies report a most enjoyable time.

From Lee Center.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. King and Mrs. Lyman were here today shopping from Lee Center, making the trip by auto.

Campers Return.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Carroll and Mr. and Mrs. Grove Wilhelm, who have been spending a vacation at White's cottage, broke camp yesterday. Visitors at the camp during the day were Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Bucher, Eugene Reuland and Miss Mary Hogan.

For Mr. Walker.

Miss Mary Hartwell entertained on Saturday evening with a dinner for Henry Walker of Iowa City.

At Sheffield.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Rosbrook and Misses Nonie and Edna Rosbrook dined at the Sheffield Hotel Sunday.

Dined in Grandy.

Rev. and Mrs. Whitcombe took Sunday dinner at the Sheffield Hotel.

At Johnson Home.

Miss Levida Jacobson spent Sunday with her friend, Miss Ella Johnson, at the Johnson home in North Dixon. Mr. and Mrs. Grover Wilhelm, who

At White Rock.

Misses Mary Hogan, Gertie Wilhelm and Freda Johnson drove to White Rock to visit Mr. and Mrs. Grover Wilhelm, who are camping there.

Royal Order of Moose Meets.

The Royal Order of Moose will hold a special meeting on Wednesday, August 28, in order to give the second degree to a large class of members who have never read it, and to make definite plans for an excursion to Dubuque, Ia., in the near future. All members are earnestly requested to be present and especially those who have never had all the work. After the business meeting, there will be a smoker and social session.

Visit Camp at Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sheetz and family of Freeport and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Meyers of Setonville, who have been camping at Nelson for the past few weeks, entertained at the camp Saturday and Sunday. Frank Blum, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Meyers, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Crosser and families of Freeport, Freda Gill, Miss Irene Eichenberg of Dixon; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Peters and family of Rock Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Eggler of this city. The greater part of the time was spent in fishing and the guests report having had a most delightful time and also several good fish fries. The host and hostess proved to be jolly entertainers.—Sterling Standard.

Returns Home.

Mrs. Wiley Glessner has left for her home in North Dakota, after a month's visit with friends and relatives in Dixon.

Dance This Evening.

The Holy Name society will hold a social dance and card party at the K. C. hall this evening. Ice cream and cake will be served during the evening.

Peter and Polly Paper.

Peter and Polly books for the children for sale at this office.

Camp at White Rock.

Mrs. F. W. Stockwell and family of Chicago are taking a cottage at White Rock and have as their guests O. A. Glessner and L. O. Bossemeyer.

Sterling Guests.

A. T. Scovill and family spent Sunday in Dixon with relatives.—Sterling Gazette.

Motor to Dixon.

Miss Lila Stevens and Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Pittman motored to Dixon Sunday and spent the afternoon and evening.—Sterling Gazette.

Entertained at Dinner.

Mrs. Rising of Chicago entertained a few friends at dinner today at the Nachusa House.

K. C. Held Big Meeting.

The meeting of the Knights of Columbus last evening was very well attended, interest in the coming big meeting to be held October 6 causing many of the members to attend. A smoker followed the business meeting.

Guest in Peoria.

Miss Gertrude Murphy went to Peoria this morning for a couple of weeks' visit.

Went to Morrison.

Miss Anna Brearton of Austin, Minn., who has been the guest of Mrs. A. N. Winter, went to Morrison yesterday for a visit.

Visiting Daughter.

Mrs. Charles Dement is visiting in Waukegan with her daughter, Mrs. Hawley Wilbur.

Former Teacher Here.

Miss Edith Genett of South Omaha is a guest at the Bosworth home on North Crawford avenue. Miss Genett taught in the North Dixon schools about four years ago.

Supper at Lowell.

Dr. and Mrs. E. B. Owens and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Rosbrook and Miss Esther Dement and Charters Higgins took supper at Lowell park Sunday evening.

Visitor from Knoxville.

Miss Marie Carnes of Knoxville is visiting Miss Grace Martin at her home in Bluff Park.

Motored to Rockford.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McAlpine and guests motored to Rockford for dinner Sunday.

Return from Vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Starin have returned from a two weeks' vacation in Wisconsin.

Spent Sunday at Lowell.

Mrs. Robert Espy and daughter, Mazie and guest, Miss Ettamoy Henry of Oregon spent Sunday at Lowell park.

Guest from Chicago.

Miss Genevieve Godfrey of Chicago is the guest of her cousins, Misses Mary and Hazel Self on Highland avenue.

Dixon Guest.

Mrs. Mary Heath of Springfield, Mass., arrived here Saturday for a visit with Mary J. Deland.

Back from Outing.

Mrs. W. R. Parker, Mrs. A. L. Simonson and Mrs. John Fellows returned home last evening from two weeks' outing at Grand Detour.

Motored from Lee Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Woolheather and Mr. and Mrs. Ulth motored to Dixon Sunday from Lee Center to visit Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Woolheather.

Visit in Pawpaw.

County Superintendent and Mrs. L. W. Miller motored to Pawpaw Sunday. Mrs. Miller returned Sunday evening, but his family will remain for a short visit.

At Grand Detour.

Mrs. Fred Dimick and daughter will go to Grand Detour tomorrow to spend a few days at the Colonial Inn.

To Attend Races.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Rosbrook, Mrs. E. B. Owens and Charters Higgins will go to Elgin tomorrow to attend the races.

To Entertain.

Mrs. Z. W. Moss and Mrs. George Downing will entertain this evening at the home of Mrs. Downing.

To Camp.

A party of young people consisting of Miss Gladys Steel, Chas. Kehr, Donald Brozoski of Evanston, Arthur Fletcher, Miss Dorothy Dimick, chaperoned by Miss Annette Dimick, will enjoy camp life or an outing at the Crawford farm next week.

Invincibles Met.

The Invincibles met this afternoon with Miss Ada Baldwin at her home.

Sennett-Platten.

Beulah Marie Sennett, the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Sennett of Palmyra township, and Frederick Samuel Platten of Galt, Ontario, Canada, were married this afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. F. D. Stone performing the ring ceremony.

The bride and groom descended the stairs as Mrs. Beth Williams, an intimate friend of the bride, played Lohengrin's wedding march. The bridal couple stood under a large white wedding bell with a pink and green background and an embankment of asparagus, in the parlor.

After the ceremony luncheon was served in the dining room, Eleanor and Urcell Sennett, sisters of the bride, serving. Decorations of pink and green were used, small white bells being used extensively. The bride's gown was of a beautiful embroidered white voile. The

groom was attired in black.

They will not take a wedding trip, but will go to Galt the latter part of the week to make their home, where the groom has a home furnished.

Only the immediate relatives were present at the wedding. The bride and groom were unattended.

Mr. Platten is the only son of Samuel Platten of Ontario and is foreman in one of the departments of the Galt malleable iron Co. He was a former employe of the Stoner Mfg. Co. of Freeport where he left three years ago.

Mrs. Platten possesses many friends in Dixon as well as Palmyra, is a charming young woman and is admired for many estimable attributes of character. The Telegraph joining with all in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Platten much happiness.

Picnic at Black Hawk.

Misses Alice Ackert, Myrtle Hoyle and Florence Tanner and Frank Hoyle, Ed Ackert and Russell Hoyle motored to Oregon Sunday and enjoyed a picnic at the Black Hawk monument.

Motored from Oregon.

Mrs. C. M. Gale and daughters, Martha and Ada and Mrs. Herbert Hopkins motored down from Oregon Sunday evening in the Beeman auto and spent the evening with friends.

Guests at Camp.

Misses Mary Hogan, Gertrude Wilhelm and Freda Johnson were the guests at the Grover Wilhelm camp at Green Rock Sunday.

Guests at Backus Home.

Miss Claudia Backus of Milwaukee and Miss Mayme Clancey of Chicago are guests at the L. Backus home on Peoria avenue.

Silver Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fisher celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary yesterday from 12 o'clock noon until 12 p. m., at their home, 1120 Eastern avenue. Eighty people were present at dinner and about 200 in the evening. Mr. and Mrs. Fisher received many useful and beautiful pieces of silverware and cut glass as pleasant remembrances of the occasion. The happy couple were born in this county and are therefore home products. Dr. J. M. Ruthrauff officiated at their wedding at the Lutheran parsonage in this city a quarter of a century ago.

Yesterday, just before dinner, the guests all in the yard and near the large porch, Dr. F. D. Altman called the host and hostess to the front and made some remarks appropriate to the gathering. Marriage was not a failure, as exhibited in this large and well regulated family of six daughters and three sons. It was of divine appointment and the strength and permanency of the country were largely dependent upon the good and orderly homes. The couple promised to do their part faithfully for the next 25 years, when all expressed the hope that they might be present to enjoy the golden anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Fisher then invited the relatives and friends in to dinner. It was a good old-fashioned country feast, plenty of chicken, apple, pumpkin and lemon pies, and other palatable. In due time all were satisfied.

It was a day long to be remembered in the Fisher home. The children had desired that their parents should observe the day and all worked to that end. Everything was favorable and Mr. and Mrs. Fisher are to be congratulated upon the event, and upon the many good friends they have made in this vicinity, who hold them in high esteem, and who will be pleased to hear of this anniversary occasion.

The out of town guests were Mrs. Arthur Hutchinson and daughter Jennie and Clarence Fisher of Yankton, S. D., Mrs. Fred Klapprodt and two children of Humboldt, S. D.; Mrs. Minnie Bellou and Mrs. Mary Schliet of Olivet, S. D.; Fred Cook, Rhodes, Ia.; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fisher, Nevada, Ia.; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schroder and family, Mendota, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Remmers, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Remmers, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tholen, Grand Detour; Mr. and Mrs. Will Baker and family and Mrs. Charles Foster, Aurora.

Picnic Supper.

Mrs. C. J. Rosbrook, Mrs. Tibbotts, Mrs. Morse and Miss Annette Dimick and Charters Higgins and Miss Theresa Morse enjoyed a picnic supper this evening in the Schuler houseboat at Lowell park.

At Lawton Home.

Friends and relatives of Fred Platten of Galt, Toronto, Canada, entertained 25 guests last evening in honor of Mr. Platten and his bride-to-be, Miss Beulah Sennett, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lawton. A delightful evening was spent and delicious refreshments were served.

Launch Ride and Picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Trowbridge delightfully entertained the guests at the home of Mrs. R. Trowbridge and their house guest, Mrs. Marguerite Fisher and son of Chicago, with a launch ride and picnic supper at Lowell park yesterday.

IN THE JUNGLES OF MALAY

Hunter of White Rhinoceros Has Dangerous Fox to Contend With—Animals Attack Man.

Singapore.—Of the three great islands of the Malay peninsula, as a big game resort, Sumatra is said to be the best, Borneo the worst. In Sumatra all the great mammalian varieties are to be found, the tiger, the elephant, rhinoceros, tapir, orang-outang and flamingo. In Java, the elephant, tapir and orang-outang are missing, but the rhinoceros and tiger are represented.

In Borneo all these large animals are unknown now, though doubtless they existed there in former days. Sumatra offers less inducements to the general order of visitors than the other two mentioned above for several reasons.

The Shikari will find the traveling very bad in such regions as have no roads. For hours, sometimes, he



Malayan Belle.

will have to wade waist deep in slimy slush, not infrequently finding himself, like the Irishman in the story, "up to the ankles in mud," but, as he forgot to mention, "head downwards." Added to this, he must be prepared to view everything through a perfect haze of mosquitoes. Such is the home of the white rhinoceros, and thither the hunter must venture who wishes to get a shot at him. This, it may be remarked, is by no means synonymous with bagging his pachydermatous majesty. Indeed, he often turns not turns the tables on his pursuer.

This monster is said to be the only animal that will attack man unprovoked, and considering that, unwieldy though he looks, he can go as fast as a horse, the encounter is no joke. The retreating hunter's best course is to seek safety up a tree; though, unless it is a pretty stout one, this will not better his position much. Ever if it is, he may be "treed" there for a considerable time. Unless a European is quite fever-proof and provided with special firearms, this branch of sport is better left untied.

Monkeys abound in endless variety in all these islands, but especially in Borneo. The peacocks, pigeons of various kinds, and a very handsome pheasant, also several water birds, waders and lovely kingfishers. There are said to be no less than 240 species of land birds known to inhabit this island of Java, while at least 40 are peculiar to it. On the other hand, no less than 16 genera found in the adjacent island are absent from this one. Rhinoceroses, leopards, wild dogs and other small game are to be met, and deer are abundant, but there are no antelope or goats.

MAN'S SIGHT IS RESTORED

Fall Against Door Gives George Morgan Hope for Complete Recovery.

Wilmington, Del.—Becoming totally blind fourteen weeks ago, George M. Morgan Jr., aged twenty-three years, 1351 East Thirteenth street, had his sight restored to him through an accident. About eleven years ago Morgan was struck in one eye with a stone a small boy had thrown at a freight car. His sight was badly affected and last September he went to St. Joseph's hospital in Baltimore to have his eye treated. While sitting in his boarding house fourteen weeks ago he suddenly became totally blind without any warning whatever.

He came to this city to visit his parents on June 29, and he tripped over a rug and fell, his forehead striking a door-jamb with much force. When he arose he found that he could see the daylight and later developments showed that he could see better than before he went to the hospital last year.

He intends to return to the hospital to continue the treatment, although the physicians told him they did not think he ever would be able to see again. His mother was at market at the time of the accident and could not believe her son's glad declaration when she returned until he told her the color of her hat and dress and described other things in the room.

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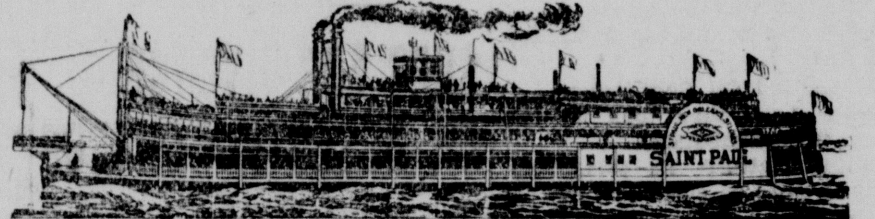
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If P. O. Sullivan recovers the use of his vocal organs that proposed game between the I. C. N. W. and Saloon men's teams may be played next Sunday. For, as far as can be learned, no one has developed a case of cold feet—as yet.

Still, should it be definitely decided to play the game, it is feared that there would be a number of excursions up the creek or into the country.

Red Curran remarks, in this connection, that all of the saloon men should make excellent outfielders, as their experience with high-balls should stand them in hand.

A recent headline in this paper says that Henry Bott Takes Bath in Germany. It is earnestly hoped that the next message from the old country will not bring the sorrowful information that Henry is down with a severe cold.

W. V. E. Steel, acting partner of the Steel-Kent detective agency, announces that Mr. Kent, the "silent" partner of the firm, has signed The Mysterious Stranger as an operative.

If your friend's wife doesn't seem to like you, you can lay a moderate wager that you're the gink who is named by the husband as the cause of his remaining down town so late nights.

It is reported that this city has a number of lightweights of championship calibre who, strange as it may seem, have never entered a prize ring in their respective lives and who have never seen a set of boxing gloves. In explanation of the above is it necessary to call attention to the grocery and coal men?

The true optimist has been found. He worked in Chicago as an assistant to a structural steel expert. One day, while sitting on a big beam 40 stories in the air, he lost his balance, and fell. As he went by the 13th story window he spied a man in the window looking at him horrified and yelled at him, "I'm all right so far."

Kindly Advice.
A colored man was brought before Judge R. H. Scott, while he was holding court in Chicago recently,

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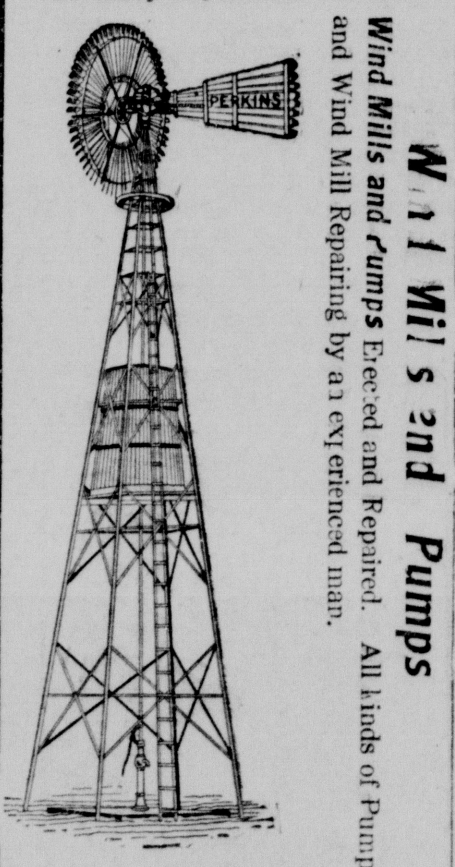
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WEST BROOKLYN NEWS

The band has been engaged to make a special trip to Shabbona Wednesday night.

Joseph E. Vincent transacted business in our town Friday morning.

B. F. Johnson was in town Wednesday afternoon attending to matters in connection with his re-nomination as drainage commissioner of the Inlet Swamp drainage district.

During the two severe electrical storms of last week, many of the people in this vicinity learned the immense value of insurance. Those persons who carried insurance will be paid for their losses while the unfortunate ones who neglected to insure must carry their whole loss themselves. Take warning and do not delay a single day. Insure with Henry F. and Oliver L. Gehant, West Brooklyn, Ill., who handle Life, Live Stock, and Fire, Lightning and Tornado Insurance.

Frank Cooper visited with the business men of West Brooklyn on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Bi-chke went to Waterman Thursday where they spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Faltz and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. McCrea were visitors in West Brooklyn on Thursday evening.

A. F. Lyman, James and William Biggart motored to Dixon and Sterling Thursday where they did plumbing work in the morning in the former city and expected to attend the circus in the latter place during the afternoon.

Joseph B. Bauer was doing business in this village on Friday morning.

Fifty couples were out to the dance given by the base ball association on Thursday night and from all appearances an extraordinarily jolly time was had. The evening was cool and the crowd not too large to make the dancing uncomfortable. Most of the neighboring towns were represented among the audience.

J. W. Thier and wife motored to West Brooklyn on Wednesday evening in company with some of their relatives who are visiting at the Thier home this week.

The three Malach brothers were over from Sublette on Thursday night to attend the dance.

F. J. Gallisath was transacting business in West Brooklyn on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Jane July and daughter, Thessa left on Thursday morning for their home in Portsmouth, Ohio, after visiting for the past year in West Brooklyn and vicinity with their many relatives and friends.

John P. Untz was in town calling upon his many friends on Thursday afternoon.

William Wigum went to Sterling on Thursday morning by way of Shabbona where he expected to attend the circus.

Mrs. Charles Clark was a visitor in West Brooklyn on Thursday afternoon.

The reports coming from the government statistics say that the 1912 oat crop yield is the greatest ever recorded in the history of the country. They say that the car shortage in the west has reached a million cars and that help is just as scarce with which to harvest the crop. Then some will wonder why new oats are as low as 30 cents per bushel.

George Schnuckel of South Brooklyn was a visitor in town on Thursday.

Frank C. Walter and wife were morning passengers for Naperville on Thursday after a couple weeks spent in our city due to the illness and death of the latter's father.

Peter Barnickel was in town from South Brooklyn on Friday morning.

P. D. Gehant came up from his home in Viola, Mercer County, Ill., on Wednesday night and visited until Friday afternoon with his old home folks here. His son Claude who has been in West Brooklyn visiting for the past two weeks returned home with him on Friday afternoon.

John Fassig was a visitor in West Brooklyn on Friday morning.

Mrs. Louise Wigum was a morning passenger for her home in Berwyn on Thursday.

Aldes Graff had business in this village on Thursday afternoon.

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We have sent all our West Brooklyn subscribers a statement as to just how they stand. Will you kindly give the matter your immediate attention. Thus assisting us in complying with the new postal ruling.

F. W. Meyer was in Chicago on Tuesday and Wednesday where he spent a day and a half making purchases for the store. Upon inquiry where the other half day went we found that he was at the West Side base ball park looking at the ball game between the Chicago Cubs and the New York Giants. He returned home by way of Mendota on Wednesday night.

Many friends and relatives of Leopold Henry are glad that he has recovered from his recent illness sufficient to permit him being up and around again.

Will our subscribers be kind enough to look at the little yellow tag on their West Brooklyn News and if not paid up send us a draft for the amount.

J. G. Hansen of Ottawa was in West Brooklyn on Thursday afternoon with a party of friends.

C. H. Clark of Lee Center was in town doing business on Friday morning.

Charles W. McMillan and Tallp Beale of Pawpaw motored to West Brooklyn on Friday in the former's auto.

C. C. Schnuckel transacted business in our city on Friday morning.

Mr. Richards of the Boynton-Richards Co. was in town from Amboy on Friday distributing advertising matter for the County Fair which takes place next month.

Joseph Graf was transacting business in this village on Thursday afternoon.

Miss Jennie Dystrat returned home on the evening passenger Thursday from Chicago, where she had been visiting for the past two weeks.

A few from West Brooklyn went to Amboy on Thursday to attend the old settlers' picnic.

Michael Barr and family were in town from Compton in their auto on Friday morning.

Mrs. Amel Henry was an evening passenger for Amboy on Thursday where she will visit with her relatives and friends.

John Fassig was seen on our streets Friday morning visiting with friends.

Mrs. A. L. Derr and daughter went to Savanna on Friday, where they will spend a week visiting with F. E. Stiles and family.

A. F. Jeanguenat was in town from Viola township on Thursday in company with his sister Rose.

A very sad accident occurred on Thursday morning between eleven and twelve o'clock when the little four year old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Hazelman was instantly killed. The older brother was out cutting weeds with a mower along a long lane and presumed that he was all alone. Just as he neared the end of his stretch the little fellow ran from the hidden road side immediately in front of the sickle of the mowing machine. The driver attempted to pull his team to get out of his little brother's path, when the latter noticed his own danger and attempted to run away from it in running he stumbled and fell immediately in front of the team and the whole weight of the mower and its driver passed over his head, crushing his skull and causing immediate death. Dr. E. C. White was called, but there was not the least hope of life left in the unfortunate boy's bosom. This is a very sad accident and causes his parents, brothers and sisters much grief. We extend to them our sympathy.

Joseph Huibsch

Another of Brooklyn's venerable citizens passed away in the person of Joseph Huibsch who died on Friday morning at 7 o'clock. The deceased has been ailing for the past month and all his relatives and friends were alarmed throughout the entire run of his illness, lest he would not recover. On account of this extreme age his strength was not sufficient to withstand the attacks of a lingering sickness, but in spite of all this, he battled bravely and well for the past few weeks until Friday when the Angel of Death called and he was compelled to answer the summons. He leaves his aged wife, several sons and daughters and many other relatives and friends in this community. None of the funeral arrangements have been made at this time, but it is likely that the funeral will be held on Monday morning at the home and then at St. Mary's church in this city with interment in the Catholic cemetery.

For letter heads and bill heads, go to the B. F. Shaw Printing Co. A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. George F. Wise on Thursday, Aug. 22nd. The mother and child are doing well. But George himself—you should see his smile—heavily laden with joy.

The carpenters have completed the new barn for Jos. Mettelle and on Friday returned to their homes. The new structure is very similar to the one burned two months ago.

Adolph Chaon transacted business in town Friday afternoon.

Henry F. Gehant and son Albert motored to Mendota in the Moline on Friday.

W. A. Mireley visited friends and acquaintances in West Brooklyn on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Elizabeth Berthold of Aurora arrived here Friday night for a visit with her son.

A class of children will receive their first holy communion at St. Mary's church Friday.

John C. Henkel transacted business in West Brooklyn Saturday morning.

Many tales regarding the 1912 oat crop have been reported at this office but here is one that beats them all. On Thursday and Friday the men were threshing at W. U. Biggart's home and found the grain to be exceptionally good. When the first wagons went out into the field to load up the bundles to haul to the machine they had to back to the gate and load up that way for the shocks were so thick that the teams could not drive between them. This is an actual fact, and it comes from a reliable source. Mr. Biggart got several loads more of oats than he had acres in his field but it is no wonder when we consider the number of shocks to the patch.

Gerge J. Montavon transacted business in our village Saturday.

Messrs John Untz Sr., and Frank Biers were in Belvidere this week, visiting friends and looking at the country.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barr were visitors in West Brooklyn Saturday.

The base ball team goes to Earlville Sunday to play the Earlville Rangers. The game is to take the place of the one cancelled a couple of Sundays ago on account of the rain.

Margaret Biers and sister went to Aurora Saturday where they will visit with relatives for a few days.

Frank Henkel was in town from South Brooklyn Friday afternoon.

The city council held a special meeting in the village hall on Friday to perfect plans for the additional changes in the boundaries of the corporation.

Alies Graf was in town on business Saturday afternoon.

Neil and Emerson Long of Amboy visited on Thursday in West Brooklyn with the M. E. Long family.

Constable W. A. Derr had professional business in town and southeast of here Friday.

Emery Hildmann and Walter Oester returned home Saturday morning from Amboy where they had been visiting with the Fred Koehler family.

E. E. Lahman of the Platts visited with friends and acquaintances here Friday.

C. F. Guffin motored to Sterling with Ed Guffin and party from Pawpaw Thursday.

Wm. Wigum was in town Friday from his Amboy address Friday afternoon.

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DEBS ACCEPTS NOMINATION

No Notification Ceremony Held to Inform Socialist Leader of Honor.

Terre Haute, Ind., Aug. 27.—In marked contrast to the notification ceremonies of other political parties, the Socialist presidential nominee, Eugene V. Debs, accepted his nomination by informing the newspapers that they were at liberty to print his address of acceptance, which he had sent them in printed form.

No committee called on Mr. Debs and there was an entire lack of ceremony of any kind. The extreme simplicity of the occasion was marked further by Mr. Debs' preparations for a trip to Fergus Falls, Minn., where he will speak tonight.

YOUNG OGLESBY MARRIES

Secretly Weds Rich Chicago Man's Daughter While Mother is Abroad.

Lincoln, Ill., Aug. 27.—The announcement was made here that Jasper E. Oglesby, youngest son of the late Gov. Richard J. Oglesby and brother of Lieut. Gov. John D. Oglesby, and Miss Maude Lee Byrum, daughter of David E. Byrum, 4863 Kenmore avenue, Edgewater, a real estate dealer of Chicago, had been married on August 13 at All Saints' Episcopal Cathedral, Milwaukee, by Rev. Frederick DeLaney. The groom's mother, Mrs. Gillette Oglesby, has been residing in Rome, Italy, with two other members of the family for the past three years, and the marriage was kept secret until her return.

Air-Bomb-Proof Ships.

London, Aug. 27.—It is stated that the next new British battleships will have a curved armored deck and funnel protection to resist attacks by air craft.

"Defeated Candidate Heartily Congratulates Winner."

"Jury Decides Cow Not Jersey; Awards \$15 Damages."

"Brass Band Starts to Play 'Houn' Dog Song' at Wilson Ratification Meeting."

"Man With Collared Collar Tries to Light Pipe in High Wind; Collar Total Loss."

"Fashionable Dame Starting on Vacation, Accidently Takes Servant's Trunk Instead of Her Own."

"Prominent Citizen Who Was Sure of Clark's Nomination Puts Off Buying Limousine."

"Bride at Last Moment Becomes Reactionary; Wedding Postponed."

John Ortigiesen and family enter-

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To the Editor of the Telegraph:
It is indeed gratifying, elevating and encouraging to witness the intense interest manifested by property owners of North Ottawa avenue and McKenney street in North Dixon, "The Ideal of Illinois and a Paradise"—noted for its practical, patriotic, peaceful and progressive people—in their hearty before Judge Scott as regards the proposed improvement on the above named avenue and street. We believe there is not a single person interested but who desires the improvement, providing it is done perfectly and at a proper price.

Let the city do its share and the tax payers will always do theirs. Work together in hearty harmony, then safe, sensible streets and bright Brintonesque beauty will fondly follow and our charming city will be a majestic model of modern magnificence.

A WELL WISHER.

IMPORTANT MUSICAL ANNOUNCEMENT

It is not generally known that we have in Dixon an exponent of the art of singing in the highest sense of the word.

Mrs. Pauline Lyon-Martin has been identified with the best concert and church work in and around New York City for a number of years, receiving among the largest salaries ever paid in that city, as solo contralto in several of the prominent churches.

Having had the advantage of the most expensive masters in singing, and throughout her entire education, including the languages and physical culture, she is capable of filling the highest offices in these lines.

Among her teachers were the celebrated Madame Rudorff, Anna Lankow, Clara Louise Kellogg, Eleanora Brignoli and Lamara, Italia, and advanced pupils of Shakespeare and Raudegger of London, and the great Marchesi, teacher of Melba.

Mrs. Martin has made a thorough study of the physiology of the voice. Her teaching of singing is not from the standpoint of an accompanist or a teacher, but that of a successful singer, with the full understanding of the voice, which enables her to instruct with her own voice her method to the students, and using a deep contralto, she can impart and illustrate the perfect male voice.

are prepared for home entertainment, acquiring deportment, and opera, and better than all, after a course long enough for the profession, as teacher, which is invaluable through life.

Mrs. Martin is the delighted recipient of a recent letter from the famous composer and song writer, Mary Turner Salter, saying that one of her new songs would be dedicated to Mrs. Pauline Lyon-Martin, whose work as a singer and as a teacher is second to none.

IT GROWS HAIR

Every Man or Woman Can Have an Abundance of Hair Full of Life and Beauty.

Mrs. C. Borchardt, No. 753½ Eighth Street, Milwaukee, Wis., writes: "I am very much pleased with PARISIAN Sage. This is my fourth bottle and my hair is coming in nicely and getting thicker. I must say it is a fine hair grower."

PARISIAN Sage does not contain Sugar of Lead; a poison that often causes blood poison and sometimes death. Ask your dealer if he can guarantee some other hair preparations not to contain Lead or Nitrate of Silver.

PARISIAN Sage is not a dye. Most dyes are dangerous. It is a hair nourisher, grower and beautifier and quickly banishes dandruff, stops hair from falling, and scalp itch. Large bottle 50 cents at Rowland Bros. and dealers everywhere.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kilday of Sterling visited with Dixon friends last evening.

AN EYE ON THE MAIN CHANCE.

"And what, my dear boy," asked the minister, "do you intend to do when you grow up?"
"A farmer, sir."
"Very good indeed—to supply the natural food—most good."
"And you?" turning to the second.
"Please, sir, a schoolmaster."
"Even better. Filling the mind of the rising generation with mental food—yes, even better."
"And you?" turning to the third.
"A preacher, sir."
"The best of all, my dear little boy; for filling the soul with spiritual food is far worthier than either filling the mind or body. And why do you wish to become a minister?"
"Cos we always have duck for dinner when the parson comes," replied the boy.

A Pretect.

"Yes," said the determined looking woman; "I might manage to hand you a bite to eat if you'll saw and chop a good pile of stove wood and bring in a few buckets of water and chop the weeds out of the garden and fix up the fence."
"Lady," replied Meandering Mike, "I'm only a hungry wayfarer; I ain't yer husband."

THOUGHT TOO MUCH.



Tompkins—Your wife seems to be a very thoughtful woman.

Thompson—She is. She thinks all kinds of things if I happen to be out late.

Took Too Much.

A very doleful case, alas—He hoped to "escape from pain" And so he took some laughing gas, But never smiled again.

How Is This?

"Didn't you get the place?"
"Seems the lady was a suffragist and wanted a maid to look after her children."

"You have had plenty of experience along those lines."

"Yes; I thought I'd clinch the job. Told her I was a suffragist, too."

"And then?"
"Then she wouldn't hire me."

Deduction.

"I wonder what the slender young woman works at?" says the man with the vibrant ears.

"She must be a school teacher," answered the man with the deep set eyes. "I overheard her say that she tans very quickly."—Judge's Library.

Cruel Insinuation.

"Henry went to get a marriage license, but got a dog license by mistake."

"Oh, he'll find it wasn't such a bad mistake when he starts to lead the married man's life."

A New Industry.

"Now that so many automobiles are passing your house," said the visitor, "I should think you would keep your hens shut up."

"What?" said the farmer. "And cut off my greatest income?"—Judge's Library.

SUNBURNED.



She—Oh! Belle's a shirt waist girl.
He—But she wears a coat of tan.

Not He.

Who thinks the world all right
When fish begin to bite,
Will never vex his heart
About the money mart.

The First.

A little boy who was evidently attending Sunday school for the first time, listened with much interest to the questions that were asked by the teacher and answered by the pupils. Finally he was asked:

"Who were the first man and woman?"
"Punch and Judy," he confidently replied.

ON THE PICTURE HAT

SOFT TAFFETA OR LACE FRILLING HAS A GOOD EFFECT.

Skillfully Arranged, There Is No Trimming That Can Be Made More Effective—Place for Crownband of Ribbon.

A picturesque method of trimming a large leghorn picture hat is by using soft taffeta or lace frilling and equally soft ribbon.

Frilling can be bought by the yard, and that used on a hat should be two inches wide, knitted to a very narrow banding.

Sew one row of the frilling to the under side of the brim, using a tiny stitch underneath and a very tiny stitch to catch it to the straw. These stitches may be concealed by using the slip stitch, passing the needle through the banding lengthwise and then running it in a slanting manner through the straw.

Make a flat rosette of frilling by whipping it on to the edge of a circle of buckram, three inches in diameter, and then gathering another strip so it will form a circle and attach it to the center of the buckram foundation.

To conceal your stitches here you can sew on some beads or a pretty crystal button directly in the center.

A crownband of ribbon matching the frilling, if it be of silk, or of some dainty light shade if you are using lace frilling, is folded around the crown and over the joining point the rosette is sewed. This may be placed on the side, but is usually more becoming when placed in the center of the front, where it balances the hat better.

Rose pink frills or pale green are pretty on a cream-colored leghorn hat. Any of the delicate shades of violet or blue are good; but when choosing these shades take care that they suit your complexion or the good effect will be lost, as the frilling on the edge comes very close to the face.

Point d'esprit with a narrow lace edge is charming for this purpose, and the new shadow laces look extremely well.

This makes a simple pretty picture hat, that can be worn with almost any gown.

NECKLACES OF ALL SORTS

Neither in Color Nor Material Need Any Woman Hesitate to Make Her Own Choice.

All the girls are collecting necklaces to go especially with the simply-made frocks of linen, crash or lingerie. A favorite necklace is of amethyst-colored crystal beads and clasps with a silver bar; another is of bright red opaque beads and a third is of a composition resembling turquoise.

Because yellow is so fashionable this season amber beads for necklaces are in great demand. The ornaments are prettier when strings of graduated lengths are used to form a series of chains, one of which comes close to the throat, while the lowermost falls half-way to the belt.

White necklaces are particularly a fad. Some of the beads employed in their making are of an opaque composition somewhat resembling celluloid, and, like that material, to be cleaned with ammonia. Necklaces of indestructible pearl beads with solid gold clasps are charming, but not more so than those of white coral or of clear crystal. On any of these necklaces may be worn color-relieved lockets of rhinestones, with a single "ruby," "sapphire" or "emerald" or of white cloisonne enamel with a pink rose center.

YOUTHFUL PARISIENNE



Dainty Costume Approved by French Mothers For the Adornment of Their Small Daughters.

For Neck and Hair.

Charming bandeaux for the hair and necklaces are combined, so that they can be worn now in the hair and anon on the neck. They consist of small wreaths and buckles of diamonds threaded on to narrow velvet ribbon, but the popular ornament is once more the pearl rope, long or short according to taste and the resources of the purchaser.

CONGRESS MAKES ITS FINAL BOW

Adjourns Sine Die After Eliminating State Claims From Deficiency Bill.

PENROSE RESOLUTION PASSED

Appropriations for 1913 \$7,000,000 Less Than for Previous Year—Focht and Burnett Clash—Taft Goes to Beverly.

Washington, Aug. 27.—At 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon the second session of the Sixty-second congress came to an end. One hour before that time the senate bowed to the house and struck out of the general deficiency appropriation bill the state claims of Oregon, Texas, Virginia and Maryland, aggregating \$600,000.

The president came to the capitol to sign the measure which provides for an expenditure of \$9,000,000.

Penrose Resolution Is Passed. Senator La Follette brought up the Penrose campaign investigation resolution early in the session and with the threat of a long filibuster succeeded in forcing it through. The resolution was passed without a roll call.

Ten minutes before adjournment the house administered a final blow to the senate by refusing to consider a resolution of the upper chamber permitting it to pay its own employees a month's extra salary.

Charges of bribery and corruption against Senators Chilton and Watson of West Virginia, which were signed by the governor of West Virginia, were referred to the committee on privileges and elections after a lengthy discussion.

House Adjournment Uneventful. In the house the adjournment ceremony was uneventful. Barely a handful of Democrats and Republicans applauded the final address of Speaker Clark, congratulating them for their aid during the session and expressing the hope that they would all return in December.

Prior to the speaker's address Chairman Fitzgerald of the appropriations committee and former Speaker Cannon, the ranking Republican member, indulged in a verbal duel. Both agreed that the total appropriations for the year were \$1,019,000,000 as against \$1,026,000,000 of the last Republican congress. Cannon maintained that the Republicans had been as economical as the Democrats but that the total budget of the last Republican congress was increased by the \$45,000,000, which they allowed for the Panama canal.

Focht and Burnett Clash.

Earlier in the day the house whiffed away the hours by discussing the immigration bill. This was brought about by an attack on Chairman Burnett of the immigration committee by Representative Focht of Pennsylvania, whose language finally became so unparliamentary that he was called to order by the speaker. He charged Burnett with having printed a personal attack on him in the Congressional Record without delivering any portion of it on the floor of the house. He characterized the attack as a "venomous untruth" and described Burnett as "a man who fires his shot and then gets into his murder car and rides away."

President Taft shortly after the adjournment started for Beverly, Mass., where he is to spend his vacation.

SPOUSE FLIRTS WITH SPOOKS

Denver Woman, Asking Divorce, Brings Singular Accusation Against Husband.

Denver, Colo.—Charging that her eighty-year-old husband possesses a spirit more youthful and that while she knows where his mundane form reposes at night, her own spirit is unable to follow his Lohario-like roving on the astral "Great White Way," Annie L. Thompson, wife of one of Denver's most widely known millionaire spiritualists, has filed suit in court for separate maintenance, a share in her husband's fortunes and confirmation of the deed to her home.

Policeman Prevents Suicide.

Chicago.—Had it not been for the prompt action of Policeman Charles Wilson of the North Halsted street station, Harry Meyer, 5139 South Morgan street, would have ended his life from suicide bridge in Lincoln park. The policeman arrested Meyer on a disorderly charge.

Her Reasons.

"I wonder why Mrs. Hibbs will not take our enlightening and improving course, which so counteracts the narrowness of the average woman's life."
"Why, Mrs. Hibbs could not undertake anything which would broaden her. She's trying to get rid of some of her fat now."

A College Condition.

"Why are you working so hard on the ball grounds every day?" inquired a friend.
"Didn't you know?" said the college boy. "I was conditioned in baseball. I must show good averages in both batting and base-running before I can go on with my class in the fall."



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A. L. Geisenheimer

LEE NOTES.

Johnnie Olson spent Tuesday in Rockford.

S. Ostewig was in Chicago Tuesday on business.

T. A. Wright of Pawpaw was here Tuesday.

Quite a number from here attended the band concert at Shabbona on Wednesday evening.

Harvey L. Rissetter was in Rochelle Tuesday.

Fred Downer went to Rochelle on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Shambo of Aurora were visitors in this vicinity last week.

Miss Vina Jacobson is home from Rochelle, where she has been doing housework.

Misses Lottie and Ella Erbes were in Pawpaw Wednesday. The latter went to West Brooklyn to visit for a week.

Prof. W. A. Atherton of Steward was here Tuesday.

Prof. and Mrs. E. V. Williams attended the teachers' institute in Dixon last week.

Samuel Hanson of Rochelle visited part of the last week with his daughter, Mrs. P. O. Boyd.

Miss Ferne Morrissey of Aurora and Miss Frieze of Mendota were visitors at the J. A. Lynch home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Williamson were visiting at the B. P. Edwards home last week.

Miss Alvina Mertens returned on Tuesday from a visit with her sister in Rockford.

A. Jordal, P. O. Boyd and a few others attended the Ringling circus in Rockford Wednesday.

Roy Foster of Batavia and Harry Eads of Chicago were here Wednesday to attend the Childs-Nowe wedding.

DeForest Storey was in Rochelle Monday to meet relatives from Iowa, who are visiting at his place now.

Mrs. Lewis Rissetter who has been visiting here a few weeks, returned to her home at Whiting, Iowa, Monday night.

Mrs. Wellington Flemming and children left for Sheffield, Iowa, on Wednesday for a brief visit.

Mrs. Leo Delbridge and daughter Leta of Malta visited at the home of her brother, Archie Colby, the past week.

Mrs. George Mullins and two children departed for Worthington, Minn. Tuesday night, where they are visiting friends.

The Lutheran Aid society of this place met at the home of Mrs. H. A. Hillison Tuesday evening with a large attendance.

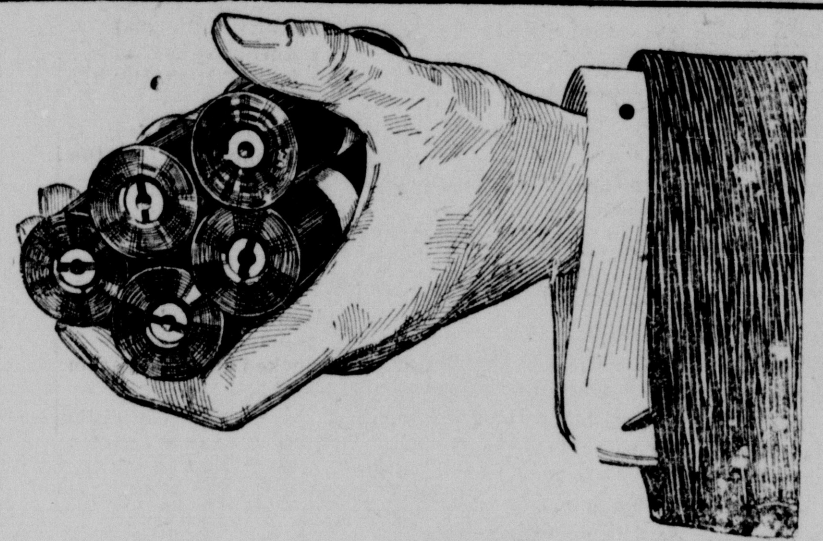
Harvey Spencer of Waterman has purchased of S. Ostwig a Warren Detroit car, 1913 model. They came out from Chicago with the car Tuesday evening.

Rev. George Wilkisch, a traveling Baptist minister, is at present at the homes of his half-brother, Wm. Weber and F. W. Erbes.

Geo. Rissetter, who is in the service of Uncle Sam, came home Thursday for a few days' visit with his mother and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Utch and two sisters of Sublette came in their auto and made a short call at the F. W. Erbes home Sunday.

The Ladies' Aid society of the S. W. Lutheran church will give an ice cream social at the home of Ed. Ed-



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wards Thursday evening, Aug. 29. A short program will be given.

One more young man in style—Johnnie Olson has bought the runabout of Willie Olson.

Miss Ida Johnson of Valparaiso, Ind., was visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. E. Johnson, last week.

W. E. Olson having discontinued work in the S. Ostwig garage went to Rochelle, where he secured a position as motorman on the interurban line.

Charles Wiely of Rochelle has contracted to work in the Ostwig garage. Mr. Wiely claims seven years experience in the automobile business. He began his work the first of the past week.

Childs-Nowe.

At high noon, on Wednesday, August 21, in the Lee M. E. church, occurred the marriage of Miss Mildred Childs to Robert G. Nowe, both of Lee, Ill., Rev. W. H. Lease officiating. The bridal party marched in to the church to the strains of the bridal chorus from Lohengrin, played by Miss Viljo Beels. The ring ceremony was used. The young couple went to Earlville by auto the same day, from where they will go to Wisconsin on a honeymoon trip.

Max Eichler and son Joseph went to Chicago this morning.

Couldn't Overlook the Chance. "Why did you scream so loudly when you saw that little green snake? It was perfectly harmless, and you told me once that you were not afraid of snakes, anyhow."
"I know that," the fair maiden, replied; "but didn't you see the stunning cadet who happened to be where he could be the first to rush to my rescue?"

AT THE SHORE.



Dolly—Don't you love to see the waves when they're blowing in?
Daisy—Not when mine are blowing out.

THREE YEARS OF MISERY

Mrs. Burnside Escaped an Operation by Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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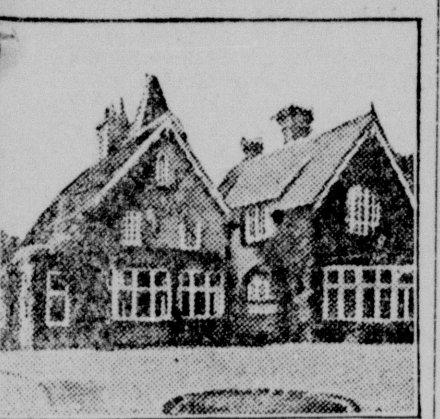
Women who suffer from those distressing ills should not lose sight of these facts or doubt the ability of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to restore their health.

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OLD VANDERBILT RURAL HOME

Little Place, Called "The Stream," is Leased by Millionaire's Wife in England.

London.—Mrs. Alfred Vanderbilt, formerly Mrs. McKim, has been making extensive alterations to the house called "The Stream," at Betchworth, near Reigate, in Surrey, of which she took a seven years' lease last fall, a few months before her marriage to Alfred Vanderbilt. She is much attached to the place, although neither the house, which is a small one, nor the grounds, are particularly attractive. In fact, many of the people at Betchworth on learning that she had plenty of money said in amazement, "Whatever does she want to come to a hole like this for?" When she returned from her honeymoon almost her first remark was, "Oh! How glad I am to be back here again. Now I can rest and keep quiet." Since her return this sentiment has grown



Mrs. Vanderbilt's English Home.

stronger and she has bought the house and grounds.

Since winter many improvements have been made that were badly needed, for the dwelling had been empty for five years before she took it. An additional plot of land has been bought from the trustee of the previous tenant, an outside broker whose business fell upon evil days. A garage has been built capable of holding several cars.

Miss Ethel McCormick, who was Mrs. Vanderbilt's companion at the time of the marriage, still remains a close friend and is constantly at Betchworth. Some months ago, while she was being driven in a dog cart by Mrs. Vanderbilt from Reigate the horse bolted and upset both women and the groom, who was with them, out of the cart. The horse was a young one from Vanderbilt's stables at Hendon, and Manager Wilson has since had instructions to see that quieter horses are sent to Betchworth.

SELF-MADE MONKEY.



The Short One—You can't make a monkey of me.

The Tall One—I can't without intruding on your copyright.

Not Exactly a Proposal

By John Philip Orth

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"And I want you to bring your gun along and shoot a crow."

"And as this is leap year you may get a proposal!"

"And it's almost time for rhubarb pie."

"And baby has got over the measles, and won't annoy you."

"And the flowers and leeks and mandrakes are coming up in the woods."

"And perhaps you can shoot a woodpecker and a blue-jay."

Mrs. Cather, living down in the country, wanted to get her brother Bob Taylor away from the life insurance office for a few days' rest, and the above are sample inducements contained in her letter.

Bob got away and appeared with a clean shirt and a shotgun warranted to kill any old crow at a distance of half a mile. He was told to "just loaf," and he proceeded to do so. When he had loafed a couple of days, and as he smoked his pipe on the veranda, the sister asked:

"Don't you hear it?"

"The pig grunting?—yes."

"No, sir. I mean that infernal old crow cawing and shrieking. He has kept it up for months, and I want him killed."

"A crow," replied Bob, as he leaned back and puffed at his pipe, "is a work of Nature."

"So are you."

"Then comes the question, have I a right to destroy him? As I take it, the worst thing about him is his voice. That, my dear sister, can be said of three-fifths of humanity. We may be just as much of a nuisance to that old crow as he is to us. I don't think I want to shoot him. I am in the life insurance business, you know, and it is our duty to prolong life. If the crow must be killed let it be by your own hand. Some bread soaked in poisoned water will do the trick."

"I have tried that and other things in vain. If you have become a crow champion at least go out and give him warning to go far and never return."

Brother Bob knocked the ashes from his pipe and shouldered his gun and set forth. The old crow gave him every chance to fire a fatal shot, but when it came it was a miss by many feet, and the man gave it up with the one shot and proceeded to stroll through the woods. By and by he reached a mass of rocks piled in confusion along the banks of a brook, and there he sat down for more loafing and smoking. He was listening to the babble of the water he could not see, and watching the squirrels in the beeches, when he heard the voices of girls approaching.

A life insurance man must study voices as well as statistics. Mr. Bob Taylor wasn't two minutes deciding that the voices belonged to two good-looking girls about twenty years old each, and that they were making for a spot below him. The owner of one voice would have golden hair and the other dark chestnut. Both would be good insurance risks. He heard them cross the brawling stream on a log, and he knew when they took a seat on a flat rock 20 feet below him. By parting the bushes at his elbow he could have gotten a fair sight of both, but he didn't do this. He didn't quite think it his duty to stand up and announce: "Oh, girls, I am here and you'd better move on," but he didn't intend to listen to a single word they said.

"Well, you've seen him, at a distance, anyhow, and what do you think of him?"

"About twenty-four years old?"

"Yes."

"Good looking?"

"Yes."

"Good figure?"

"Fine."

"Thinks well of himself?"

"All young men do that, papa says."

"Probably engaged to some girl in town."

"Probably, and she thinks he's just the loveliest thing out."

"No chance for either of us?"

"None for you, my dear, but as for me—"

"Sue Moreton, what do you mean?"

was exclaimed.

"You are too scared to take a chance, but I'm going to propose to him. It's leap year, you know. Yes, ma'am, I'm going to ask for his hand and heart."

There were merry peals of laughter, and then the question was asked:

"How are you going to get an introduction? That must come first, you know. You can't walk up to him on the highway and ask him to be yours."

"Oh, Romance will bring it about somehow. Yes, sir, if that young man remains here for a week longer he will be mine, or I shall be a jilted maiden."

"You are just in fun."

"Watch me and see. No use of having leap year if our sex doesn't take advantage of it. Let's go home now. I'm in a hurry to plan my campaign and be engaged."

Bob Taylor heard every word of the conversation, and he wasn't a bit conscience-stricken, either. He had taken chances of hearing himself criticized instead of praised. He had noticed leap year on the calendar, and had read newspaper squibs about it, but until this hour he had given no particular thought to it. It was the girl with the golden hair that was going to propose to him. He had not seen her, but some sort of instinct made him sure of this. They were wrong in saying that he had a girl in the city.

He had given little or no thought to matrimony. It would come some day, like all other things, but up to this hour he had been in no hurry. Now that a golden-haired girl had struck his trail and was going to do all the heavy work he found himself a bit impatient. How was she going to manage it?

The question was answered almost as soon as asked. When the girls got up to go they cautioned each other to use care in crossing the creek by the log. The one with the chestnut hair went first. After many "ah's" and "oh's" she was safely over. Then came the turn of the one who had said that romance would bring about the conventional introduction. She was two or three pounds heavier than her chum—just enough heavier to cause the log to crack and creak and finally break under her when she was in mid-stream. There were yells and screams as she went with a kerplow into water two feet deep, and Bob Taylor was on hand to do the right thing. He did it by getting very wet and pulling a still wetter maiden out on the bank and helping to conduct her half a mile to her home.

There wasn't much conversation on the way. What there was was natural. Mr. Taylor didn't seek to explain how he came to be on the spot and the first thing the golden-haired waterwitch had to say in the privacy of her room was:

"I'll bet that man was right around there somewhere as we talked!"

"And if he was he must have heard what I said about leap year."

"And what are you going to do about it?"

"Nothing." Perhaps Bob had heard the conversation, and perhaps not. At

any rate, as the girls figured, he would not dare let it be known that he had. As he reached his sister's in a dripping state, the woman cried out:

"Bob Taylor, what on earth!"

"I went out to shoot that old crow."

"But you didn't shoot him?"

"No; I missed the crow and shot a girl."

"Oh, Bob, if you would only marry Sue Moreton."

"I will! I'm just waiting for her to pop the question. That is, she has popped, and if she plans to jilt me there'll be the awfulest row you ever heard of. See her and tell her what a determined man your brother is."

Six months later, as the engaged lovers walked in the moonlight, Miss Sue shyly asked:

"I know you were at the creek that day and heard what I said, but you don't call it proposing, do you?"

"Oh, no, no, no. You simply busted that log and fell into the water that I might pull you out and marry you."

HOW BOGUS MONEY IS PASSED

Counterfeit Coin Is Put in Circulation Unconsciously by Men.

"That's no good," said a Broadway car conductor, handing to a passenger on the platform with him a dime.

"There are thousands of them afloat," he continued, as he made change for another coin. "I'll keep it as a reminder to look out for that kind."

said the man, and put it in his pocket. The incident was not thought of again until the next morning, when the dime victim wanted to show the spurious coin to his wife and found that it was not in his pocket. Then he wrote to a friend with whom he had played bridge the night before and asked:

"Did I give you a bad dime last night? If so, keep it for redemption!"

In answer he received a note saying: "Did you? Well rather! The elevated man spotted it. I lost my train. I intended to return it, but forgot, and when your note came I looked and found that I also had passed it unwittingly on some one, and that's the way phony money circulates."—New York Tribune.

French Recruit a Giant.

Eugene Arcean, belonging to the Fourth battery of the Fourth regiment of foot artillery, a native of the Ile de Re, has the distinction of being the biggest soldier among the conscripts of France. He weighs about 242 pounds, and is nearly six feet nine inches in height. The authorities are less puzzled about his uniform than they are about his bed, for the beds are said to be made of regulation length.

City In Brief

Maurice Edwards has returned from Chicago.

Miss Abbie Norris, who has been spending some time at the lodge, at Lowell park, is now at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. J. McAlpine.

Miss Carrie Drenner of Kramer's 5 and 10c store, is enjoying a vacation.

Look at the little yellow tag on your Telegraph.

Douglas Harvey returned last evening from the east, leaving Mrs. Harvey at Kittery Point, where she will remain for a longer visit with Mrs. Bainbridge and Miss Harvey.

Everybody is looking at the little yellow tag on their Telegraph. Sale bills have advanced in price.

County Superintendent L. W. Miller and family spent Sunday at the old Miller homestead near Pawpaw. Reinhardt Gross of Franklin Grove was a business visitor here today.

Miss Zelma Heft went to Sterling Saturday to visit friends.

Walter Heft has returned to Hammond, Ind., after a visit in this city.

Miss Florence Hendrix visited at her home in Sterling Sunday.

Harold Brierton and Floyd Kehr visited in Sterling Sunday. They returned Sunday night accompanied by Messrs. Curtis and Jensen.

Hugh Wasley has returned to his work in Chicago after a visit with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Trein went to Chicago this morning for a business visit.

Mrs. Lucia Herrick and son Albert and Mrs. L. T. Nesbit of Pawpaw visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Edwards yesterday.

Henry Walker, postmaster of Iowa City, is visiting his father, Philip Walker, of this city.

Miss Bessie Denny has gone to Chicago to visit friends and relatives for a week.

Order your return card printed on your envelopes at the Telegraph job office.

Healo, the best foot powder on the market.

There will be gospel preaching to-night at 8 o'clock at Frank D. Peacock's, North Galena Ave. All welcome.

Miss Lida Johnson, who has been spending her summer vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Johnson, left for Seattle, Wash., where she is manager of the high school lunch room.

Mrs. Trump of Polo drove her car to Dixon yesterday.

If you wish calling cards visit the job department of the Telegraph.

When you pay your subscription observe the little yellow tag on your Telegraph to see that you have been given proper credit.

John L. Brink of Franklin Grove made the Telegraph a pleasant call today.

Try Healo, the most popular foot powder on the market. Carried by all the leading druggists in the state. Ask for samples.

The condition of Miss Katherine Reynolds, who has been ill for some time, is reported to be critical.

Mrs. Charles Martin of Carson City, Mich., is visiting relatives and friends in Gap Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. John Donnelly of Chicago, who have been visiting at the Wallace Eathing home in Gap Grove, returned to their home this morning.

C. C. Godfrey, who is enjoying his annual vacation, with his wife spent the day at the Pines.

Mrs. H. E. Finney will leave next Monday for her home in San Francisco.

Wm. A. Keefer of Harmon was here yesterday. Incidental with his visit he renewed his subscription to the Telegraph.

Dr. C. E. Smith returned from Chicago Saturday night. Mrs. Smith will remain in the city until the latter part of the week.

John Morgaridge of Sterling was here today.

Word-of-Mouth Advertising

Passing encomiums, only over your store counter, about the quality of what you've got to sell, results in about as much satisfaction as your wife would get if you gave her a box of cigars for Christmas.

Advertising in This Paper talks to everybody at once and makes them talk back with money.

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Dramatic Notes

FAMILY THEATRE

The Mabelle Fonda Troupe of Juglers and the Richmond Trio, harmony singers, opened the vaudeville season last evening to a large crowd and gave satisfaction. Both acts are good and the patrons seemed pleased to be able to enjoy vaudeville again.

Manager Michelstetter has made many pleasing changes in the interior of the theatre. Curtains drape the doors on either side of the stage and large boxes of flowers have been placed at the top of same and give a charming effect. The interior has been painted and new carpet added.

OLYMPIC THEATRE—CHICAGO.

"The course of true love never runs smooth," is an old adage, and in "Putting It Over," Ross Sterling, the law student, goes through three years of turbulence before he finally wins the heart of Ruth Noel, his father's ward. Although the young woman is separated from him during the three years, she remains constant. When she discovers that her sweetheart, whom she had at first believed to be a profligate son, possesses the highest qualities and morals and that he has temporarily given up the law to take up professional baseball to save his father from financial ruin and to protect her name, her heart goes out to him and the curtain goes down on the betrothal.

Lee Arthur and Frank Hatch have supplied the play with an air of high ideals and enough comedy to make it an excellent evening's entertainment, as is manifested by the rounds of applause which are heard at the Olympic theatre at every performance.

Harold Vosburg takes the part of Ross Sterling, the college hero; Miss Helen Holmes, that of Ruth Noel, the attractive ward. Other members of the cast are Edwin Holt, Frederick Burt, Royal Trary, Franklin Ritchie, Francis Joyner, Joseph Woodburn, C. E. Harris, Alison Skipworth and Veda Steele.

Resplendent Yet Dull.

"Why do you avoid Pimpson?" "Because his garments hurt my eyes."

"That being the case, why don't you wear green goggles when you talk to him?"

"Because his conversation isn't worth that much to me."

Accounted For.

Patience—it is said that the total number of inhabitants of the Isle of Man is now 50,542, which shows a decrease of 4,210 during the past ten years.

Patrice—Can't blame the suffragettes for moving away from a place with a name like that.

They Need Air.

He airs his views. But, truth to tell, they're musty views. And so, 'tis well.

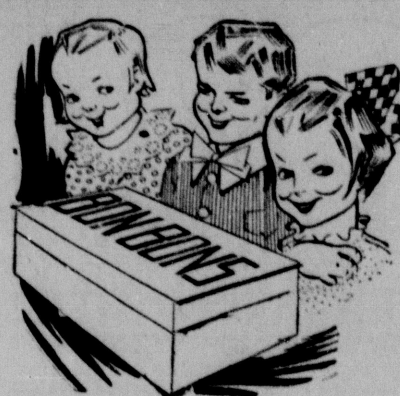
Anything May Happen.

"What are you miffing at?" "I see here a report that a child was born with a full set of teeth."

"Well?"

"How do such impossible reports get abroad?"

"Do not be too incredulous. Strange things happen. Seems to me that I have heard a report that a Boston child was once born with eyeglasses."



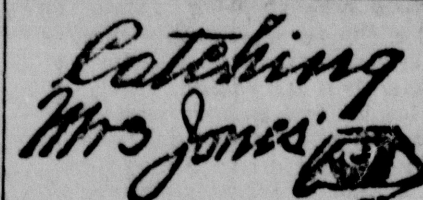
HOW HAPPY THEY LOOK

when they see before them a box of our chocolates. They know there is a treat in store. Not only the youngsters but the grown ups as well have a liking for our candy, it is so fresh and crisp, and newly made. Take a box home with you tonight and see how the family will enjoy it. There is not one but who will be sorry when the box is empty.

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TRADE MORAL—Introducing the buyer to the merchant is the purpose accomplished by our advertising columns. The integrity of both are vouched for.



If Mrs. Jones buys her coffee at Smith's each week—

If the coffee in your store is better than Smith's and cheaper—

Why, TELL MRS. JONES!

Don't dash wildly across the street to tell her, though; she'd laugh at you. Insert a sane, forceful advertisement in this paper about your coffee.

We'll catch her eye by making your ad. attractive. Then all that is left for you to do is to take in the money for the coffee Mrs. Jones buys.

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PAIGE MOTORS—and it's the motor above all else that counts most in an automobile—are built with the same degree of care that the trustworthy manufacturer of cars selling for three or four times the price of the Paige devotes to his motors.

Then, though built with care which seemingly might insure mechanical perfection, Paige motors are put through a series of tests occupying a full week's time to prove them mechanically perfect or find any deficiency, if such exists, and correct it.

An imperfect motor never has gone from the Paige factory to a Paige buyer, and that fact, more than any other, explains the distinguished rank of Paige Cars.

Tests of this kind throughout the construction of the whole car, our careful selection of materials, and the skill of our engineers and workman, have earned Quality Leadership among popular-priced cars for the Paige.



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Regular Equipment Includes Top and Windshield

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CHAPTER III.

The Murderers.

Two men clad in bear-skins were shuffling rapidly along across the glacier. Dawn was already flooding the arctic sky with its amazing riot of color—rose, green, gold, violet, and the ice beneath their feet was rose color with misty blue shadows in it. The foremost of the two wayfarers was a man of gigantic stature, six and a half feet tall and of enormous girth of chest; yet, somehow, despite his size and the ungainly clothes he wore, he contrived to preserve an air almost of lightness; of lean, compact athleticism, certainly. A stranger, meeting him anywhere and contemplating his formidable proportions, and then looking up past his great, blunt jaw into his cold, light blue, choleric eyes, would be likely to shiver a little and then get out of his way as soon as possible.

He was walking steadily, glancing neither to the right nor the left. Even over the treacherous, summer-glazed surface of the glacier, his great stride carried him along at a pace which his companion found it difficult to keep up with. Besides, this companion made his task the harder by allowing his eyes to wander from the track they were following, and casting little fur-



Strode On With Unabated Pace, as Though He Had Not Heard.

tive, anxious glances at the man beside him. In any other company he would have been a rather striking figure himself, well above middle height, powerfully made, and with a face that had lines of experience and determination engraved in it. But the comparison dwarfed him.

He seemed to be trying to make up his mind to speak, and still to find this a difficult thing to do.

At last, with a deprecatory cough, he began:

"What I can't see is, Roscoe, what you did it for. It was all right to do it if you were figuring out any gain from it. We'll all agree to that. Anything for our common good, that's our motto. But where's the gain in killing just one poor fellow out of a party of 30? He seemed a good kind of chap, too, and friendly spoken. We didn't serve you like that, when you come aboard the Walrus at Cape Nome."

"It would have cost you four men to do it, Planck, and you were short-handed as it was."

"That wasn't why we didn't do it. You was a stranger, and you was in a bad way. There was a mob of men that wanted you mighty bad, and we gave you shelter and carried you off and made you a regular sharin' member of the crew. Of course if we had any reason to act contrary, we'd have done so. And that's why it seemed to us—to me, I would say, that you probably had some reason in this case, here. And, well—we'd like to know what it is."

But the man he had addressed as "Roscoe" strode on with unabated pace, as if he had not heard. For any attention he paid to his questioner he might have been alone in that expanse of ice and sky.

Planck accepted the silent rebuff as if it had been only what he had expected, but he sighed regretfully. He had once known, and it was only four years ago, that same swaggering trick of contemptuous authority himself. He had been master, the most tyrannical sort of master, some say, to be found anywhere in the world; the captain of an American whaler. And this very man, at whose heels he was scrambling along over the ice, had been one of his crew; had never approached the quarter-deck where he reigned supreme, without an apologetic hand at his forelock, and had always passed to the leeward side of him up the deck.

But the Walrus had been destined never to see port again. She lingered too long on the whaling grounds to get back through Behring strait that fall; and failed in the attempt to make McKenzie bay, where other whalers in similar plight put in for the winter. Instead of this friendly harbor, she was caught in the pack and carried, relentlessly, north and westward. The milling pressure of great masses of ice crushed in her stout

hull, so that the open water they had been hoping for, became, at once, their deadliest peril. The moment the ice broke away, she would go to the bottom like a plummet.

But still the slow, irresistible drift of the ice-pack carried them north and west into a latitude and longitude which, so far as they knew, no human travelers had ever crossed before. And then in the depth of the arctic night, bereft of hope, and half-mad with cold, they found a land that never had been charted, and, most marvelous of all, a human welcome. For here on the shore were Captain Fielding and the two other survivors of his ill-fated expedition.

The fate of the explorer's ship had been, it seemed, precisely that of the Walrus. She had been caught in the pack, crushed in it and carried against this coast. Before the coming of spring, and with it the breaking of the ice, Fielding and his men had been able to carry their stores ashore, and of these, the greater part still remained.

Of the Walrus people, in all, there were 11, and these, with the three original castaways, settled down to the prospect of an indefinite number of years upon that nameless coast. "We can live like Christians," Captain Fielding had said, "and we can always hope."

His superior knowledge of arctic conditions made him, rather than Captain Planck, naturally commander of the little company. He established the regimen of their life, doled out the store from day to day, and, as best he could, through that long winter night, provided entertainment for the forlorn little group. He told them of his explorations on the coast, of the lay of the land, of what they might hope to see when the sun should come back to them, marking the beginning of another long arctic day.

Among other things, quite casually he told them of a ledge in the hills, across the glacier, which contained, he believed, the most extraordinary deposit of gold in the world. So incredibly rich was it, that the rock itself had almost been replaced by solid metal. The Alaska gold, he said, was only the sweepings, in his opinion, of this immense store.

At the sound of the word "gold," the eyes of the man named Roscoe had brightened for the first time since they had taken him, shivering from his long immersion in the cold water, aboard the Walrus. He drew into the circle that sat about the reading lamp, and began asking questions. Gold was something he knew about. He had mined it in Australia, in California, and in the Klondike. He questioned Captain Fielding about the exact whereabouts of the ledge, about the sort of ore it occurred in, and about the best means of cutting it out.

To some extent his own excitement infected the others. Even Captain Planck, whose only well-understood form of wealth was whale blubber, began to take an interest in Roscoe's questions and in the explorer's answers to them.

It was a strange and rather pathetic sort of excitement, Captain Fielding thought. To them, in their practically hopeless plight, gold was about the least useful thing they could find; not hard enough to tip lances or arrows with, too heavy and too easily melted for domestic purposes. However, it gave them something to think about, and he, without a suspicion of the sinister direction in which these thoughts might turn, went on and told them all he knew.

When, after a period of tantalizing twilight, the sun again came fairly over the horizon, they besought their commander, with a savage sort of eagerness from which he might have augured ill, that he take them at once to the ledge. They had caught sight of it from a distance, even as Cayley had done, hung in the air above the valley, and had run recklessly on ahead of their leader. When he came up to them, he found them dangerously excited, the man Roscoe fairly dazed and drunken with it.

Finally Fielding had left them to their own devices, and came away with his two companions. And until the light of that short day had begun to fail, they—the Walrus people—stayed, gloating over this strangely useless treasure.

For three days after that the man Roscoe never spoke a word. On the fourth day, when the little party assembled for their mid-day meal, the 11 men of the Walrus were the only ones to answer the summons. Captain Fielding and his two companions had disappeared.

Captain Planck could not recall that meal now without shuddering, for there at the foot of the table, opposite to him, had sat the man Roscoe, with murder written plain in every line of his face. He had looked a beast, rather than a man, that day. The sated blood lust in his eyes made them positively terrifying, so that the others shrank away from him. He had seemed not to notice it, at least not to take offense at it. He was in hilarious spirits for the first time since they had known him; seemed really to try to be a good companion. Captain Planck abdicated his leadership that day. He was perfectly

conscious of the fact. He had known that to retain the leadership he must take that murderer out and execute him. He knew that if he did not do this, the murderer, not he, would hereafter command the party, and that unless he himself yielded the prompt obedience of any, he would follow the luckless trio whom they were never to see again.

From that day to this there had been no more murders. Roscoe had ruled them with a decision and a truculence which put anything like insubordination out of the question. He had been obeyed better than Captain Planck ever had been. He had worked them fiercely all those four years, cutting, everlastingly, at that wonderful, exhaustless golden ledge, beating the friable ore out of it with heavy mauls, then, laboriously, conveying the great rude slabs of pure metal on rough sledges over the perpetual ice of the glacier to a cave near the shore, where they had deposited it. There were literally tons of it hidden there when the smoke from the yacht's funnel was first seen on the horizon.

The moment the news of the approaching steamer was reported to Roscoe, he had entered upon what seemed to his followers a thoroughly irrational and inexplicable line of action. He had ordered them, first, to remove all signs of recent habitation from the hut to the cave where their gold was concealed; then, to cover the cave mouth with a heap of boulders, to secure it against discovery.

Long before the strongest glass on the ship could have made out their moving figures, he took the whole party back to the hills in hiding. He had kept them from answering the hails and the gunfire from the yacht by the sheer weight of his authority, without vouchsafing a word of explanation.

The next day they had seen the searching party come ashore, and with their knowledge of the lay of the land found it perfectly easy to evade observation, though nothing but the strong habit of obedience kept them from courting it.

Then, along in the afternoon, had happened what seemed to them the strangest thing of all. They had seen a solitary straggler from the searching party coming along across the ice. He could not see them. It would have been perfectly easy to evade him, but Roscoe now ordered them to go down to him and tell him who they were, and to offer to escort him along the trail down the glacier. And at a certain point they were to lag behind and let him go on alone. That was all any of them knew of their leader's plans, till they saw the flying dart and the smudge of crimson on the snow.

Now, at last, came Planck to the leader, asking the reason why. But his mission, as it appeared, had not prospered.

For a long time Roscoe walked steadily on, until the two had come far up the glacier. Finally, when he did stop, he whirled quite around and stood confronting Planck, squarely in the middle of a narrow path between two deep fissures in the ice. His eyes were glittering malevolently.

"Do you know any reason," he asked in a thick voice, "why I don't pick you up and drop you down one of those cracks there, or why I don't serve you as I served that fellow yesterday?"

Planck thought he meant to do it, but, with the fatalism that marks the men of his profession, he stood fast and eyed his big opponent.

"You're strong enough to," he said, "and I'll do it if I want to; you know that," Roscoe supplemented.

"Yes, I know that," The big man nodded curtly.

"Well, I'm not going to now, because I choose not to. Listen. If you had the chance, could you navigate that solid mahogany, hand-painted ship down there?"

Planck cleared his throat, as if something were stifling him. "With a crew, yes," he answered.

"Could Schwartz run those nickel-plated engines he'll find in her, do you think?"

"Yes."

"Well, within two days I'll give you a chance to make good. Now, I'm going to tell you my plan, not because you asked me, but because I want you to know. I'll run the whole thing alone if I could, but I want you with me. We're going to take that yacht and we're going off alone in her—we of the Whaler, alone. Do you understand that?"

"They're better armed than we," said Planck reflectively; "better fed, better everything. And man for man, bar you, they're just as good, and they're three to one of us. It will want some pretty good planning."

"You needn't worry about that," answered Roscoe. "I didn't expect you to make the plans; I knew you

couldn't. I've made them myself; they're working right now. Can you keep your tongue in your head and listen?"

Planck nodded.

"That searching party didn't go back to the yacht last night. They're all camped together—about 20 of them—down in the Little Bear valley. There aren't above half a dozen firearms in the bunch; none of the sailors from the yacht have any, and they've got about two days' rations. They're all there together, except the one man we accounted for yesterday."

"I see," said Planck; "and you think we can capture the yacht now while they're ashore."

"Don't try to think, I tell you," Roscoe growled. "I'm doing the thinking. There are probably ten able-bodied men left on the yacht. That's not good enough odds, considering the way they're armed. But about an hour ago I sent Miguel down to the



His Eyes Were Glittering Malevolently.

shore party to be their guide. He isn't going to say anything much to them, but what he says will be enough, I reckon. He's to pretend he's dotty and can't understand what they say to him."

Planck's eyes widened a little and he did not ask his next question very steadily. "Where is he going to take them?"

"Can't you guess that? He's going to lead them into Fog lake, of course."

The thought of it made Planck's teeth chatter. Fog lake was, perhaps, the most curious natural phenomenon upon that strange arctic land—a little cup-shaped valley, from which the fog never lifted—had never lifted once in all the four years they had lived there. On days when the rest of the land was clear, the fog hung there, half way up the side of the hills, so that from the ridges surrounding it it really looked like a strange vapory sea. They had explored the edges of it, fearfully, at times, but had never penetrated far enough to learn the secret of its mystery, if it had one.

"And then?" Planck asked.

"Why, they'll send out a relief party from the yacht, of course. The yacht's people know what rations the searching party took with them, and when they don't come back in two days, they'll probably set out from the yacht, with every able-bodied man on board, and try to find the first party and bring it in. As soon as they are well out of hearing, we take the yacht. We may not find a living soul aboard her; and we certainly can't leave one there. But we'll steam up and take our gold aboard—all our gold. And then, well—there's where you'll come in."

"But what then, man? My God! what then? Do you suppose we can go steaming into San Francisco, or any other port in the world, with all that gold in our hull and another captain's log and papers? We might just as well hang ourselves from our own crow-jack yard."

"I hope your wits will improve when you get a deck under your feet," Roscoe growled. "On land here you're about as much good as a pelican in a foot race. No, your sailing orders won't be San Francisco, nor any other port that has such a thing as a revenue officer about. But you ought to know the north coast line over there as far east as McKenzie bay. You must know some harbor there where we can lie up for the winter and not be bothered."

"Yes," said Planck, "I could take the yacht to such a place as that. There's a very good harbor in behind Hirsdel island. But what will we do when we get there?"

"After that, it's my affair," said Roscoe. "We'll winter on the yacht. Then when the weather begins to loosen up a bit, and before the spring thaws, we'll land our gold and our stores; cache all the gold, except what we can carry over the trail, say, about 500 pounds of it, and we'll leave the yacht's seacocks open, so that when the ice goes out, she'll scuttle herself. We shall probably find sledges, and perhaps a pony or two, on the yacht. If we do, it will be easy. It's only a short hike to one of the tributaries of the Porcupine river. Once we reach the Porcupine, it will be easy for it flows into the Yukon, and that's as good as a railway line. We'll make a raft and float all the way down to Saint Michaels with no trouble at all. The gold we have with us will be enough to take us down to Vancouver, and there we can charter a ship. You take command of her, and we go north through the straits again that very summer—next summer that will be, of course. We go back to the harbor where we left the yacht. You can figure out the rest for yourself, I guess."

"Yes," said Planck. "It's all very well—only won't there be a good many to trust that sort of secret to?"

Roscoe looked at him with a savage sort of grin. "Come, you're improving. But that hike across the mountains to the upper tributaries of the Porcupine is a hard trail. There aren't likely to be many of us left by the time we get started floating down open water. When we get to the Yukon it won't be surprising if there isn't anybody left at all, but you and me."

Planck caught his meaning quickly enough, indeed, a duller man could have read it in Roscoe's savage light blue eyes; and he thought made his teeth chatter. He would have felt a deadlier terror, perhaps, could he have read the thought that lay at the bottom of Roscoe's mind. The gold hunter was not much of a sailor, but he felt confident that on the broad stretches of the Yukon he could navigate a raft alone.

(To Be Continued)

The Magic Bit of Silver

By Juan Enrique

"I want to ask you a question, Gomez."

"Well, my dear boy, what is it?"

"Where did you get your money?"

The question was an abrupt one—it was almost impertinent. But Gomez de Bonilla was an intimate friend of mine, a good fellow, and—we had dined. To say truth, we had not only dined but wine, and it was over some excellent post-prandials in the shape of further wine and fragrant cigars that I had asked the question. But I had long wished to do so, and I will tell you why.

Some two years before Gomez was poor as a churchmouse. He was always a good fellow; but then, you know, there is a difference between good fellows rich and good fellows poor. And, to my shame be it spoken, I think I liked him better rich than poor. Well, as I said, he was almost destitute. He had a profession, it is true—he was a journalist; but in Spain the gains of the fraternity of the pen are not large. What little he did earn went to the bad, for he was an inveterate gambler.

But from a poverty-stricken journalist he suddenly blossomed out into a man of wealth. He had the finest horses, he belonged to the most fashionable club, he had the most luxuriously fitted town house, he had purchased the country seat of a decayed grandee, he had the best cook in Madrid, and he moved in the best society—for, alas! even in Spain the golden key is beginning to open all portals. But do not think from what I say that Gomez was not a gentleman, for he came of an excellent family.

Well, as I said, we had just finished an excellent dinner, and over the walnuts and the wine I put my question: "Gomez, where did you get your money?"

He looked at me thoughtfully, and knocked the ash from his cigar. "Where did I get my money?" he repeated, slowly. "And what says Dame Rumor concerning it, Pedro?"

"There are all sorts of stories," I replied; "some probable, some wildly impossible; some good-humored, more ill-natured. You will pardon my frankness if I tell you that I have heard some people call your wealth 'ill-gotten gains,' whisper of retired highwaymen, and the like. There are others who hint darkly at counterfeiting. Among the lower classes there is a widespread belief that you have sold yourself to the devil. And I have even met intelligent people who hinted at supernatural means."

"Perhaps they were right," was his laconic reply. "I started at him."

"Listen, and you may perhaps tell me whether the means were supernatural or no. I have never been able to decide. The reason that the source of my fortune has never been discovered was because the only man who knew of it left the city the day after—"

He paused. "The day after what?" I queried. "Well, I will begin at the beginning. The story is a curious one, and should be told in sequence."

He lit a fresh cigar and then began: "You knew me two years ago, when I was poor. You also knew, as did all my friends, that I had a passion for gambling. You would all of you chorus, when speaking of me, 'Poor Bonilla! He has the worst of vices—he is a desperate gambler.' You were all wrong. I did not play simply for love of it. I played because I was poor. I was not a gambler. I was a speculator. I had fixed upon a certain sum which I considered a competence. I saw no way of acquiring it by my profession, so I devoted myself to the green cloth—how assiduously you know."

He smiled at the expression of assent which involuntarily flitted over my countenance, watched the smoke wreaths curling over his head for a moment, and continued:

"One evening I was feeling unusually blue. I never drank, as you know—that is, never to excess—and certainly never to do what is called 'drowning sorrow.' My resource was the gaming table. Unfortunately I had in my possession a considerable sum of money which had been entrusted to me by a friend for the purpose of paying some debts; he had been suddenly called away from the city. I entered the gambling-hell, and seated myself at the roulette table. Fortune was against me; the few duros that belonged to me were soon gone. Something seemed to possess me that night; I was not myself. I did what I never should have dreamed myself capable of doing—I staked my friend's money. I staked it, and I lost it all."

I was about to speak. "Do not condemn me," he interrupted; "you could say nothing severer than were my self-reproaches. Long I sat there, glaring at the other players. As I watched the ivory ball spin round, my brain seemed to spin round, too. My senses seemed to be leaving me. I felt as if life were no longer dear to me. Penniless and dishonored, what was there left to live for?"

"As these thoughts passed through my working brain, the night wore on. The players dropped off, one by one. The tables were gradually deserted. Soon there was but one left lighted—the roulette table before which I sat and at which one persevering gambler was trying his luck. Finally he too, wearied, and I was left alone with

the banker, who was the proprietor of the gambling-hell."

"Oh, I remember," I interrupted, "Jose Herrera, who disappeared so suddenly a couple of years ago."

"The same," replied Bonilla, fixing his eyes keenly upon me.

I do not know why, but I began to feel uncomfortable. However, he continued:

"The banker looked at me inquiringly. I half rose to retire. I had fully determined to blow out my brains in the street, and that I did not do so is owing to one of the strangest of circumstances—so strange that you will not blame me for wondering whether it was supernatural. I half rose, I say, and as I did so, I saw upon the floor a round, bright object which had a silver shimmer as the gaslight fell upon it. It was a coin, a—"

"A peseta," I interrupted, breathlessly.

"Yes," he went on, "a little bit of silver coin—only a peseta. But it saved my life. I placed my foot upon it, and, motioning to the banker, said: 'A peseta on the seventeen!'"

"The banker knew me well—he had cause to—and without making any inquiries he repeated my wager after me, and set the ball a-whirling. It stopped in the seventeen."

"Seventeen wins," said he, and on the seventeen clanged seven silver duros.

"Do you leave it there?" said he.

"I nodded."

"Again the ivory ball spun round, and again it stopped at seventeen."

"Seventeen wins," said the banker. "Again I left the glittering pile upon the seventeen, and again it won. Seven several times did the goddess Fortune smile upon me. And when I



"Seventeen Wins," Said the Banker.

stopped, it was not because I feared to venture further, but because I had broken the bank. The poverty-stricken wretch who a few moments before had contemplated suicide was now wealthy."

"And the peseta," said I, "you have that still of course?"

"No," he replied, with a strange smile.

"Why!" exclaimed I, with surprise. "had I been you, I would have kept it all my life."

"No," he replied, with the same peculiar smile, "you would not have kept it."

"And why not?"

"When I stooped to pick up the coin, I found—nothing."

"Nothing!" I echoed. "Why—what—where—"

"That which I had taken for a peseta was not a coin. The round, silvery object on which the light had fallen and deceived me was—"

"What?"

"A drop of water!"

FIND SEA WAX IN OREGON

Substance Called Nehalem Found On Beach—Many Tons Sent to Market.

Nehalem wax is the name given a somewhat mysterious product found on the beach near the mouth of the Nehalem river in Oregon.

It was observed by the early explorers of that coast. Later considerable deposits were found in the sand of the beach. In 1846 several tons of this queer waxlike substance were shipped to Hawaii, and since then many tons of it have been sent to northwestern markets.

Opinion is divided concerning the nature and origin of this substance. Some hold that it is beeswax and others contend that it is a mineral substance called ozocerite. It is usually found in large rectangular blocks. It has a honey-like aroma when freshly cut. Examination made in the laboratory of a western university shows that the substance closely approaches beeswax in composition and does not accord with the properties of ozocerite.—From Harper's Weekly.

Fresh Eggs.

Eggs that tasted fresh to the rest of the family were pronounced stale by the invalid. The doctor was appealed to.

"Where can we get really fresh eggs?" said the nurse.

The doctor wrote a note.

"Take this to the drug store two blocks down the street," he said. "You can get them out of the soda fountain supply. The best eggs in town can be found at a first-class soda fountain."

On the strength of that note the nurse got four eggs. Even the invalid said they tasted fresh.

Historic Blackguards

By
Albert Payson Terhune

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Bourienne, Napoleon's School-mate

TWO boys—at the Brieenne Military academy—poor, ill-dressed, sneered at by their luckier school-mates—were forced by loneliness into a sort of friendship. One of the lads was BOURIENNE, the son of a Frenchman of lowly birth. He had no rightful place in the academy from which officers were to be graduated. For in those days, only men of wealth, rank or influence as a rule, rose to rank in the French army. That ill-placed boy was Louis Antoine Fouvet de Bourienne.

His classmate and friend was a splendid chap with a huge head. He was the butt of the school because of his hot temper, his haughtily borne poverty, his shabby clothes, his shrill, cracked voice and Corsican accent. This youngster was the son of an old, impoverished Corsican family. His name as spelled at that time was Nabulone Bonaparte. He was one day to rule and bully his scornful fellow-students as "Napoleon I., Emperor of the French."

On leaving Brieenne in 1785 the two comrades separated. It was years before they met again. Bonaparte worked his way up to a Lieutenantcy in the army of King Louis XVI. Bourienne, failing to obtain an officer's commission, found a post in the lower branches of the diplomatic service. The friendship of boyhood had cooled when he and Bonaparte chanced to meet in Paris in the late days of the old French monarchy. Bonaparte, with his keen judgment of human nature, seems to have gauged his old schoolmate's character aright and to have found nothing in it to admire.

Yet when Bonaparte was "First Consul" and ruler of France in 1796 he sent for Bourienne and made him his private secretary. He afterward bestowed other offices on the poor young diplomat.

But Bourienne was not content with the legitimate earnings of his various positions. A man so near the head of the government could find many chances for graft. And Bourienne found them. He became "silent partner" in a dishonest army contract firm. He and his accomplices cleared up, it is said, more than \$600,000 before their frauds were exposed.

Bourienne was banished by Napoleon to Hamburg. But, to soften the blow, his old school friend gave the secretary a fat official appointment there. Bourienne had acquired the taste for graft. Now that he was away from Napoleon's watchful eye he gratified his dishonest cravings without stint.

He wrongfully wrung huge sums from the Hamburg senate and from German noblemen. At last his thefts became so outrageous that complaint was made to Napoleon. The latter, who was now emperor of France, recalled Bourienne in disgrace, degraded him from his office and compelled him to refund \$200,000 of the stolen money. Napoleon was never noted for gratitude or for kindness. The fact that he had done anything at all for the ex-school chum was unusual. Now he washed his hands of the man.

Bourienne, turned adrift and forced to give up part of his ill-gotten cash, became Napoleon's bitterest enemy. He did all in his power to injure his former benefactor, and toiled cunningly for the emperor's downfall.

In 1814 Napoleon was overthrown by the allied powers of Europe and was packed off to Elbe an exile. Bourienne was among the first to hail Louis XVIII. (the Bourbon king of the allies set on France's throne in Napoleon's place), and to clamor for office under him.

Then back from Elba came Napoleon. All France rose to greet him, and Louis XVIII. fled for his life. Napoleon offered pardon to nearly all his political foes, but he pointedly refused to forgive Bourienne. Trembling at his own danger, Bourienne rushed for safety to the still fleeing Louis XVIII. This act of "devotion" touched the heart of the fugitive king. He made Bourienne minister of state after Napoleon's second and final downfall. The turncoat fared well for some years. But, like most grafters, Bourienne at last lost every penny of his tainted wealth. He was forced to flee from France to escape his creditors.

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Oats	26	29
Corn	68	71

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Wheat	Sept	93 1/2	94 1/2	93 1/2	94 1/2
	Dec	93 1/2	94 1/2	93	94 1/2
	May	97	97 1/2	96 1/2	98

Corn	Sept	72 1/2	73 1/2	72 1/2	73 1/2
	Dec	54 1/2	55 1/2	54 1/2	55 1/2
	May	53 1/2	53 1/2	53 1/2	53 1/2

Oats	Sept	32 1/2	32 1/2	32	32 1/2
	Dec	32 1/2	33 1/2	32 1/2	33 1/2
	May	34 1/2	35 1/2	34 1/2	35 1/2

Pork	Sept	1100	1100S	1095	1092
	Oct	1805	1805	1792	1792

Lard	Sept	1100	1100S	1099	1092
	Oct	1110	1112	1100S	1100

Rib	Sept	1095	1097	1087	1087
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FEAR FOR LIVES OF AMERICANS

No Direct News From Managua Causes Alarm in Washington.

76 SLAIN IN MEXICAN BATTLE

Orozo's Rebel Force Has Severe Engagement With Federal Troops Under Gen. Rabago—Madero in Merciless War.

Washington, Aug. 27.—Another day has passed without direct news from the beleaguered American forces at Managua and official Washington is more worried than ever over the Nicaraguan situation. The rebels having severed all telegraph lines, it is impossible to communicate with the interior, and it is feared the insurgents may have attacked and destroyed the capital. Consul Johnson reported that Corinto was quiet except for rumors among the poorer classes, and that the volunteer guard of civilians and sailors from the Annapolis and Justin was keeping excellent order. Vicksburg is Disabled.

The cruiser Vicksburg, which was speeding off the coast of lower California to Corinto, was suddenly halted by the breaking of her propeller, the detached part of which smashed a hole in the stern of the ship. The Glacier was with the Vicksburg and both vessels immediately put into Magdalena bay. The navy department expects the damage to the Vicksburg will be repaired soon and that she will join the fleet which is under hurry orders and on the way to Corinto.

The announcement that all of the available vessels on the west coast had been assigned to the war in Nicaragua is confirmed by the list of vessels given out at the navy department for that service. These are the California, the Des Moines, Denver, Vicksburg, Cleveland, Prometheus and Colorado. These vessels could land force which in addition to the 2,100 already provided for would total nearly 3,000 men. The fleet is to be kept in Nicaraguan waters till a new government has been formed that will give guarantees of peace and protection to foreigners.

76 Rebels Killed in Battle.
Juarez, Mexico, Aug. 27.—General Rabago's federal column, which has been in pursuit of Orozo, struck the rebels in force at Ascension, and during the battle seventy-six rebels were killed and a number taken prisoners. The federal loss is reported as a dozen killed and thirty wounded.

Ascension is sixty miles southwest of Juarez. The rebels under Gen. Orozo were camped on the ranch of the Palomas Land and Cattle company, ten miles off the railroad. News of the fight came here by telegraph from Pearson on the Mexican Northwestern railroad. During the engagement Gen. Salazar with more than 300 men joined Orozo's forces and Rabago was unable to follow up his initial victory, and camped on the Palomas ranch after the rebels had retreated.

Madero in a Merciless War.
Mexico City, Aug. 27.—Merciless extermination of rebels and all those who support them is the feature of the new campaign which has officially begun. Throughout regions infested by rebels the measure providing for a suspension of the constitutional guarantees of regular trial is in effect and any officer above the rank of major has the right to inflict summary capital punishment on all rebels who fall into his hands if convinced of the captives' guilt.

COLOR LINE WORRIES

Bar Association in a Snarl Over Negro Question.

Southern Members, 1,000 Strong, Threaten to Leave Body if Dring Is Admitted to Membership.

Milwaukee, Aug. 27.—When the executive committee of the American Bar association accepted the application of William H. Lewis for membership and then, on learning he is a colored man, rescinded its action and put the matter up to the association for decision, it paved the way for a possible split in the organization. The case will be fought out in the annual meeting, which opened today at the Hotel Pfister.

Lewis, who was graduated from Harvard in 1894, is an assistant attorney general, and his chief, Mr. Wickreham, says he will resign from the association if Lewis is not admitted. On the other hand Col. Alexander Troy of Montgomery, Ala., declares a thousand southern members will quit if the colored man is made a member.

The president's address, by S. S. Gregory of Illinois, opened the meeting this morning.

Secretary of Navy Ill.
New York, Aug. 27.—Secretary of the Navy George L. von Meyer was reported to be ill on board the dispatch boat Dolphin, on the way from New York. Mr. Meyer arrived at the Brooklyn navy yard on board the Dolphin, planning, it was then understood, to visit the yard today.

REBELS ARE ROUTED

FEDERALS BATTLE WITH OROZO'S FORCES AT ASCENSION.

Seventy-Six Insurrectos Fall in Fight, While Loyal Troops Have 12 Killed and 30 Wounded.

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FORECASTS EARTH SHOCKS

Dr. Milton A. Noble Predicts Marked Disturbances East of Rockies Within Fifteen Days.

Philadelphia, Aug. 27.—Dr. Milton A. Noble, who forecasted the recent earthquakes in Turkey and Arizona, now says that within the next six to fifteen days there will be marked manifestations in this country just east of the Rockies and also in or about Hayti or Santo Domingo and around the Azores. Doctor Noble says the wind charts and weather conditions have shown activity at these points until the regions about all these three areas indicate that a forthcoming disturbance is about to be manifested.

COL. WILSON DIES IN PRISON

Former Head of Wireless Company, Convicted of Defrauding the Mails, Succumbs at Atlanta.

Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 27.—Col. C. C. Wilson, sixty-seven years old, former president of the United Wireless company, died at the United States penitentiary, where he was serving a three-year sentence for using the mails in an attempt to defraud. Uraemic poisoning was given as the cause of death. Wilson was stricken while reading in the prison library. He began serving his sentence August 23, 1911.

THE MARKETS.

Grain, Provisions, Etc.					
Chicago, Aug. 26.					
	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	
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WHEAT—Easy; winter wheat, patent, 10c; 3000's 40c; winter wheat, straight, 45c; 3000's 40c; spring wheat, choice brands, wheat, 50c; Minnesota, patent, 40c; 3000's 40c; Minnesota, hard spring, patent, straight, export bags, 45c; 3000's 40c; second clear, 40c; 3000's 40c; low grades, 35c; 3000's 40c; rye, white, per bush, 40c; 3000's 40c; dark, 35c; 3000's 40c.

BUTTER—Creamery, 25c; price to retail dealers, 27c; prints, 25c; extra first, 25c; firsts, 23c; seconds, 22c; dairies, extras, 23c; firsts, 22c; seconds, 21c; dairies, No. 1, 21c; packing stock, 20c.

EGGS—Miscellaneous lots, cases included, 17c; 18c; cases returned, 17c; ordinary firsts, 20c; extras, candied for city trade, 24c; No. 1 dairies, 16c; checks, 14c.

POTATOES—Minnesota, 50c; 50c; Jersey cobblers, per lb., 80c; Wisconsin, 50c; 50c; Illinois, 50c; 50c.

SWEET POTATOES—Virginia, brl., 2.75; 3.00; Jersey, brl., 4.00.

LIVE POULTRY—Turkeys, per lb., 12c; chickens, fowls, 13c; roosters, 9c; springs, 10c; geese, 9c; ducks, 12c.

NEW YORK, Aug. 26.
WHEAT—Irregular, fairly active; No. 1 northern, spring, 1.04 1/2; No. 2 red, 1.07; No. 2 hard, 1.03 1/2; No. 1 Manitoba, 1.04 1/2; No. 1 macaroni, 1.09 1/2; September, 1.02 1/2; December, 1.01 1/2.

CORN—Scarce and higher; No. 2 yellow, 93 1/2.

OATS—Firm, good export inquiry; No. 2 white, 41c; standard, 40 1/2; ungraded, 40 1/2.

BARLEY—Quiet; malting, new, 60 1/2c.

LIVE STOCK.
CATTLE—Good to choice steers, \$9.00; 10.50; fair to good steers, \$8.00; 9.50; common to fair heaves, \$7.00; 8.50; inferior killers, \$7.00; 8.50; dairy steers, \$7.00; 8.50; range steers, \$7.00; 8.50; fair to fancy yearlings, \$7.00; 8.50; good to choice cows, \$5.00; 6.50; canner bulls, \$2.50; 3.50; common to good calves, \$1.00; 1.50; good to choice vealers, \$2.00; 3.50; heavy calves, \$3.00; 4.50; feeding steers, \$5.00; 6.50; stockers, \$4.00; 5.50; medium to good beef cows, \$3.00; 4.50; common to good cutters, \$1.00; 1.50; 2.75; inferior to good canners, \$2.00; 3.50; fair to choice heifers, \$5.00; 6.50.

HOGS—Good to prime heavy, \$10.00; 11.50; good to choice butchers, \$8.50; 10.00; fair to good heavy packing, \$7.00; 8.50; light mixed, 175 lbs. and up, \$8.00; 9.50; choice light, 150c; 160c; pigs, 110c; 140 lbs., \$8.00; 8.50.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 26.
CATTLE—Market, fairly active and steady; prime steers, \$9.00; 10.50; shipping steers, \$7.00; 8.50; butcher grades, \$5.00; 6.50; heifers, \$4.50; 6.00; cows, \$3.50; 5.00; bulls, \$4.00; 5.50; milk cows and springers, \$3.00; 4.50.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Market active; choice lambs, \$1.00; 1.50; cull to fair, \$0.50; 1.00; yearlings, \$1.00; 1.50.

HICKS—Market active; Yorkers, \$3.00; 4.50; pigs, \$4.00; 5.50; mixed, \$2.50; 4.00; heavy, \$4.00; 5.50; roughs, \$2.50; 4.00; 5.50.

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1 bottle Pickles.....
1 box Toilet Soap (3 bars).....
1 can Heinz tomato soup.....
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NEWS OF ILLINOIS

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State Happenings.

AGED MAN COMMITS SUICIDE

Charles Edress, Sixty-Two Years Old,
Shoot and Kills Self Near Ga-
lena After He Had Been
Cornered by a Posse.

Galena, Aug. 27.—Charles Edress,
sixty-two years old, shot and killed
himself, near here, after he had been
cornered by a posse. Edress recently
came from Canada and is said to
have been prowling around at night
armed with a shotgun. He was driven
from a cornfield, and after firing several
shots at the posse shot himself.
He had two revolvers, a double bar-
reled shotgun, \$500 and two railroad
tickets to Canada.

Miners' Official Is Caught.

Duquoin, Aug. 27.—Herman C.
Bracken, former secretary-treasurer
of the Possum Ridge Miners' union
in Williamson county, who recently
disappeared and is said to have taken
more than \$500 of the union's funds,
has been arrested at Owensboro,
Ky., and brought back to Herrin for
trial. Bracken waived preliminary
hearing and went to jail at Marlon
in lieu of bond. George F. Wilson,
district secretary-treasurer of the
miners, who left about the same time
as Bracken and is said to have
taken about \$10,000 of the union
funds, is still missing.

Coal Men Drop Insurance.

Duquoin, Aug. 27.—Following the
enactment of the employers' liability
law by the Illinois legislature,
numerous coal concerns in southern
Illinois have relinquished their insur-
ance with liability insurance com-
panies on the ground that the rates
are exorbitant. When the new law
became effective the insurance com-
panies were forced to increase their
rates about ten times the old scale.
As an illustration, mines with a daily
capacity of 2,000 formerly paid \$5,000
annually for protection, whereas un-
der the new arrangement the same
insurance would cost \$50,000.

Farmer Builds Odd Barn.

Mount Carmel, Aug. 27.—Otis Trav-
is, a farmer, residing near Fairbury,
is building a barn which is said to be
a novelty in way of construction. It
is circular in shape, 50 feet in diam-
eter, 20 feet to the eaves and 30 feet
high in the center. There is room for
51 head of stock in the barn and the
box stalls are arranged on the out-
side. Virtually all lumber in the
structure has to be bent. The ar-
rangement for feeding is most con-
venient, as the heads of the stalls
face the silo in which the feed will
be stored.

Dies in Fire Fearing Whip.

Bridgeport, Aug. 27.—A four-year-
old child of John Tant on West Olive
street was so afraid of chastisement
for playing with matches, after flee-
ing from a room where several chil-
dren had set fire to curtains and car-
pets, that it returned to the room
and crawled under a bed, where it
was burned to a crisp. The fire de-
partment used every means to flood
the building in order to save the
child's life, but the flames spread too
rapidly.

Eleven Seek Mine Secretaryship.

Herrin, Aug. 27.—Returns from
locals of the United Mine Workers'
organization in this subdistrict in-
dicate that eleven candidates have
been nominated for the office of sec-
retary-treasurer. The election will
be September 10 to fill the vacancy
caused by the disappearance of
George F. Wilson with \$2,000 of the
organization's funds July last.

Former Mayor Found Dead.

Duquoin, Aug. 27.—William E.
Brookings, a merchant and former
mayor of Duquoin, was found dead in
his room here. He had been in poor
health for several weeks. Brookings
was a Democrat, and for the past
thirty years had been a conspicuous
figure in county and state politics.
Arrangements for the funeral have
not been made.

Excursion Train Ditched.

Decatur, Aug. 27.—An excursion
train, Decatur to Indianapolis, over
the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton
railroad, was wrecked by a broken
rail at Antioch, five miles southeast
of Decatur. Jacob Ozencopki of De-
catur was killed. Sixteen persons
suffered injuries, some of which are
serious.

102 Kin Honor Old Couple.

Sterling, Aug. 27.—Mr. and Mrs.
James Otto of Manlius celebrated
their sixty-ninth wedding anniversary.
102 descendants being present. They
are the parents of 16 children, all of
whom are living.

Dedicate Polish Church.

Rockford, Aug. 27.—St. Stanislaus
Polish Catholic church was dedicated
by Bishop Muldoon. Fathers Maw-
orek and Obryta, Chicago Polish
priests, assisted.

Fall From Horse Kills Man.

Mount Vernon, Aug. 27.—James
Gowler was thrown from a horse
here and killed when the horse
stepped on him.



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Tragedy Follows an Invitation
to a Motor Ride.

Girl Will Die, Man Believed to Be Fa-
tally Burned, After Explosion of
Gasoline Tank.

Gary, Ind., Aug. 27.—Miss Ethel
Smith, nineteen years old, one of the
prettiest girls in Gary, lies at the
point of death at her home in Cald-
well as the result of burns sustained
as the result of riding double on a mo-
torcycle with her sweetheart, Roy
Roberts. Roberts called at Miss
Smith's home on his new motorcycle.
Having witnessed other girls ride on
motorcycles, Miss Smith expressed a
desire to accompany Roberts on a
short trip to the home of some friends.
They proceeded but a few blocks,
when Roberts noticed Miss Smith's
silk dress was on fire as a re-
sult of a spark from the en-
gine. By the time the machine
could be brought to a stop, fanned by
the wind, the girl's skirt was en-
veloped in flames. Roberts attempted
to tear the burning garment, but without
avail. He threw the girl on the sand
by the roadside and rolled her on
the ground until the flames were
smothered. Roberts' hands were
horribly burned in trying to
save his sweetheart. The girl
was picked up by T. T. Snell, the
Chicago banker, and taken to her
home in his automobile. Physicians
were summoned and it was found
Miss Smith was horribly burned from
the waist down. No hopes are enter-
tained for her recovery, although phy-
sicians say that if enough new skin
can be procured by grafting, her life
may be spared. Today scores of peo-
ple called at the Smith home, offering
live skin from their bodies.

STREET CAR MEN WIN OUT

Chicago Traction Employees Get An-
nual Increase of \$500,000.

Chicago, Aug. 27.—Strike danger
was eliminated from the Chicago trac-
tion situation when an amicable agree-
ment was reached by the heads of the
two surface traction companies and
the union leaders, representing 14,000
employees. In Mayor Harrison's office,
and a wage scale involving an increase
of approximately \$500,000 annually was
adopted. Better working conditions
and higher pay were the benefits con-
tended for by the union leaders during
a siege of about forty days, and they
were granted these concessions by the
companies and a new contract drafted
that embodies these propositions.

DARROW MUST STAND TRIAL

Court Denies Motion to Quash Indict-
ment as to Jury Bribe.

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 27.—The mo-
tion of Clarence S. Darrow's attorneys
to dismiss the indictment, charging
the former chief counsel of the McNa-
maras with the bribery of Robert Bain,
the first juror chosen to try James R.
McNamara, was denied by Judge Wil-
lis of the superior court. The case was
continued until today, when the date
of Darrow's trial on the Bain charge
will be set.

P. O.'S TO CLOSE SUNDAYS

Every Important City in U. S. Affected
by Provision of Measure.

Washington, Aug. 27.—All first and
second-class postoffices will be closed
Sundays as a result of one provision of
the new postal appropriation bill
passed by congress and signed by
President Taft. Every important city
in the United States is affected. Here-
after only special delivery letters will
pass through on that day and no mail
will be placed in lock boxes.

Felton Pere Marquette Receiver.
Detroit, Mich., Aug. 27.—Judge C.
W. Sessions of Grand Rapids is in
Detroit to sit for Judge A. J. Tuttle
in the Pere Marquette receivership
case, and appointed Samuel N. Felton,
president of the Chicago and Great
Western railroad, as receiver in place
of Newman Erb, resigned.

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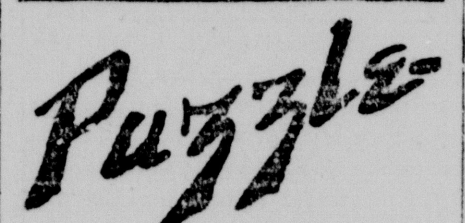
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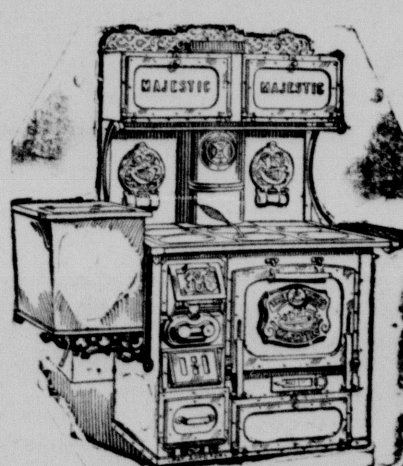
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